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The [illegible] located [illegible] on Pine street. Water, [illegible] GEO. W. LADD, [illegible] Exchange Street.

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A [illegible] house pleasantly located, with [illegible] water, near [illegible] Webster Road. A [illegible] house and stable [illegible] C. ARCHER, U. S. Claim Agent, Office No. 1[illegible] Hammond Street, up stairs.

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A [illegible] farm cuts 30 tons of hay, with a [illegible] two story house nearly new, [illegible] barn [illegible] blacksmith shop an[illegible] [illegible] acres timber land, one shingle mill, one back lot, [illegible] acres cuts ten tons hay; one [illegible] dwelling, stable and [illegible] of Bangor, in the town of [illegible] real estate owned by the late [illegible] Metcalf, in the town of [illegible] The above valuable property will be sold [illegible] Also farm and wood land in Passadumkeag. Apply to C. L. HATHAWAY, Passadumkeag, Me. Passadumkeag, Dec. 15th, 1888. d&w

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Advertisements under the head of wanted, lost, found, to let, &c., not exceeding four lines, [illegible] cents each insertion when prepaid. When not prepaid, regular advertising rates will be charged.

WANTED—An experienced second girl, one willing to take care of children, [illegible] jan19

WANTED—A [illegible] girl for general house work. [illegible] Third St.

25 Girls Wanted

at once to work [illegible] Steady work at [illegible] Also cooks, [illegible] and pastry help wanted. [illegible] Main Street.

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Removal of Law Office.

The law firm of [illegible] having been dissolved, the undersigned has taken the office formerly occupied by the late John Varney, [illegible] where he will continue the practice of his profession. DANIEL F. DAVIS.

Bangor Loan and Building Association.

The Seventh series of shares is now open for the sale of shares. They can be purchased at the monthly meetings on the second Monday of each month or of the Secretary at his office at any time. A. T. THOMPSON, Secretary. Bangor, Jan. [illegible]th, 1889.

Bangor Loan and Building Association.

ANNUAL MEETING.

The Shareholders of the Bangor Loan and Building Association are hereby notified that the annual meeting of said Association will be held at the Common Council Room, City Hall, Bangor, Maine, on MONDAY, January 28th instant, at 7½ o'clock P. M., to act on the following articles:

1st—To hear the reports of the Directors and Secretary.

2d—To elect a President, Vice Director, Treasurer and Auditor.

3d—To act upon any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Per order of the Directors.

A. T. THOMPSON, Secretary.

Bangor, Jan. 12th, 1889.

Penobscot Log Driving Company.

The annual meeting of the Penobscot Log Driving Company for the choice of officers, and the transaction of any other business that may legally come before said meeting, will be held at the Penobscot Exchange in Bangor, on Tuesday, the twelfth day of February next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

At the above named meeting the Company will determine whether [illegible] auction. If the Company decide to let the drive, the Directors of said Company [illegible] up at auction at the office of the Treasurer [illegible] Company in [illegible] day of said month of February, at [illegible] the forenoon.

Per Order of the Directors. [illegible]

Bangor, January [illegible]

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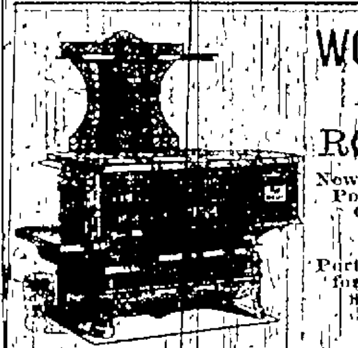

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aug28

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Fair white hands.

Bright clear complexion

Soft healthful skin.

"PEARS'—The Great English Complexion SOAP,—Sold Ever[illegible]"

Rubber Bo[ots] and Shoes.

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Daily Established 1834—Weekly 1815

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Kennebec.

[illegible]

the stanchion piece. Mr. Shorey cut the chain and none of them were materially injured.

A daughter of Mr. Sumner Peaslee, of Windsor, caught the diphtheria while an attendant at the hospital, and went home after her recovery without taking the necessary precautions for disinfection. Since that time, seven of the family have been seriously ill with the epidemic, two dying from its effects. Dr. W. Johnson, Jr., of Cooper's Mills, the physician in attendance, contracted the disease in its most malignant form and is at present in a critical condition.

The ice companies have staked out into claims the whole river between the Kennebec Dam and five-mile Island, and unless the lower Kennebec closes soon will begin preparations for cutting. Should it be necessary to cut from this new field, side tracks will be built to the river bank, and the ice will be sent down river by cars. The recent cold weather, however, has made the ice men more hopeful, and it is now thought probable that there will be a good crop below Gardiner.

Definite arrangements have been made for the employment of the tramps and beggars who every winter seek refuge in the Augusta Jail. The County Commissioners have just made a contract with the Augusta Heel Company for the employment of thirty-five men daily in the manufacture of heels. The unused north corridor of the jail will be fitted up as a workshop, and a new stove put in. The heat and light will be furnished by the county and all apparatus by the company. Work will begin as soon as the necessary dies and blocks can be procured.

The trustees of the North Kennebec Agricultural Society have voted to lease their fair grounds, in Waterville, for a term of ten years to Mr. C. H. Nelson, of that city. It is understood that Mr. Nelson will make great improvements in the property this spring, pay the present liabilities of the society, and at the end of his lease, give them back the grounds on their payment of the money advanced, with interest, and betterments. Mr. Nelson will build a new judges' stand, grand stand and make other improvements. The agricultural society reserves to itself the use of the grounds for its annual show and fair.

The Kennebec County delegation will soon meet to consider the advisability of an act authorizing the County Commissioners to raise money for an addition to the Court House. The enlargement of the building has long been needed, and when the necessary addition shall be built is merely a question of time. It is planned to throw the probate vault into that of the registry of deeds, transform the County Commissioners' room into a vault for the probate office, and add the janitor's room to the clerk of court's vault. Two wings could then be built at the eastern end of the building, in the lower portion of which could be rooms for the Commissioners and the janitor, and in the upper part, traverse jury rooms.

Sagadahoc.

Henry L. [illegible], attorney for the Eastern relatives of the wife of Luigi Dama, of San Francisco, Cal., formerly of Bath, claims that the signature to Mr. Dama's will [illegible] [illegible]

The Clover Club in Philadelphia presented menus printed in English at its recent banquet, and the guests knew that they were eating "cherry stone oysters," "sheepshead, with clover sauce" (copyrighted), "a mouthful of sweet breads, truffles, fresh mushrooms and lobster" and other dishes whose French titles had been translated, for the occasion. There was general satisfaction among the guests.

A young college student who recently acted as a "super" for Booth and Barrett, says that the latter is a wonderfully developed man muscularly. In the scene in "Othello" where his jealousy has worked him up to the highest pitch of passion his muscles in the neck stand out like whip cords. Off the stage he is a nervous individual and easily excited. When anything goes wrong he expresses himself in strong words. When his part is over he makes for the waiting-room and there remains until his turn comes again. When he comes forth there must be no obstacle in his way, otherwise the first individual he meets catches it.

Alexander Squires, the old Californian who came after the gold which he deposited in the Philadelphia Mint, in 1855, was at the Mint on Wednesday and wrote his name and address, to be compared with his signature in 1855. While the official was searching the records, running his finger up and down columns, Squires quietly remarked, "You needn't go down so far; my signature will be found on the first column on right hand side of the leaf, three or four lines down," which proved to be correct in every particular. The signatures were exact, allowing for the slightly more shaky penmanship of increased age. The modern "Rip Van Winkle" got his money.

Ex-Postmaster General James is now the head of the great safe-deposit company in whose vaults are stored the plate and jewels of the Astors and the Vanderbilts. There, too, are the bonds and securities of the Lorillards, the certificates of the Standard Oil magnates, and the deeds of many of the Western bonanza kings. "I fancy," says a writer who recently peeped into the vaults of the company, "that not one man out of a thousand has any conception of the treasures here concealed. Battered trunks, tin boxes, old barrels, and a thousand other receptacles, duly labeled and addressed, stand high as the ceiling on every hand, each one containing a fabulous fortune in itself."

A very good story is told of Larry Jerome. He was not feeling in the best of spirits, and for a little change and recreation he visited a popular resort in the Jersey pines. After a week's stay he called for his bill, and on paying started to go when the landlord called him. "Mr. Jerome," said the landlord, "I have a little tourist book that I keep for my guests to write in before leaving, and if you have no objections would be pleased to have a few words from you." "Certainly," said Mr. Jerome. Taking the book he noticed the following from the last gentleman registered: "I came here for change and rest, [illegible] [illegible] New London, Conn." [illegible]

[illegible] forgings. The sternpost sides at head, 2½ inches, and 1½ inches at the heel. The stem sides are 1½ inches and both stem and post mould 3½ inches. The frame space is twenty-two inches. She will be finished with a "trunk" cabin that will project above the deck fourteen inches, and about thirty two feet fore-and-aft, leaving at its sides a gangway of about three feet.

The masts will be of Oregon pine, and the rig will be of the prevailing type of racing schooner, with a pole bowsprit. Of course she will have a large sail plan, as her "statical" stability must be enormous, comparatively. The model of the schooner is very sharp at the bow, which the rake of the stem makes look very long on the harpins. To the unprofessional eye of the reporter, Mr. Burgess in this design has made a slight departure from the form of his previous yachts. In the feature of the lateral plane there is little or no drag from amidships to the sternpost. From amidships forward the keel rises "quick" and the rather straight line runs into a short forefoot, thence upward into a raking stem, and, blending into a curve of contrary flexure, finishes with a long and handsome cutwater. The bow finish of the schooner, as it appears on the drawing, is far superior to anything Mr. Burgess has designed before in point of artistic taste. The gunwale shear is straight, with overhanging ends, about twelve feet at the stern and seven feet at the bow. The sternpost rakes about 20°. The midship section is very hollow at the garboards, with little or no tumble home at the top sides. In shape the model under water has the usual Burgess look, with, perhaps, a little more hollow in the bow water lines than such yachts as the Titania and Marguerite.

The moulds of Mr. Morgan's steel schooner will be finished this week. This is the largest sailing yacht that Mr. Burgess has yet produced. The dimensions of this big racing schooner are as follows:

	Feet.	In.
Length over all,	131	0
Length on load water line,	106	0
Extreme beam,	21	0
Extreme depth,	15	6
Draught of water (extreme),	12	3
Ballast in tons,	80	0
Ballast in keel (in tons,)	40	0
Length free board,	4	6

This schooner will be built of the best quality of mild steel. It can be seen in the foregoing table that her dimensions indicate a powerful vessel, and she will, no doubt, be sparred accordingly; and with no other material than steel can the requisite combination of lightness and strength be obtained. Her keel will be of the "trough" type, and supported at the corners with longitudinal steel angles, 3x3x1-16 inches. The stem will side 1¼ inches, and mould 6 inches. The sternpost will side 4 inches at the head and 1¼ inches at the heel, and will mould 4½ inches at the head and 5½ inches at heel. Both stem and post will be wrought out of the best bar forgings, and be rabbetted below the waterline [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible] side length of the gunwale. [illegible] will be "hold" or bilge stringers each side—3x2½x5-16 wrought [illegible] of the reversed frames, to the hull longitudinally. These [illegible] bilge keelsons will also finish [illegible] hooks on the extreme ends, on [illegible] and stern post. The centre[board tr]unk, or casing, will be of plate, [illegible] stiffened with vertical angle [illegible] x2½x5-16. The centreboard well [illegible] inches in the clear, and the [illegible] be connected at the corners [illegible] keel by longitudinal angle bars. The cabin floor will be supported [illegible] angle bars for beams, 2½x2½x¼. [illegible] work stanchions will be of brass, and the plank-sheer of southern [pine] [illegible] inches thick, and moulding 13 [illegible] The deck plank will be of clear [illegible], 3x3, and the finish of the upper [illegible] no doubt, have its full portion [of oak] and mahogany.

Grange Meetings.

[P]enobscot Pomona Grange—Next [meeting] with Kenduskeag Grange, Carroll, [Wednesd]ay, January 23.

[illegible] Pomona Grange—Next meeting [with] Mystic Tie Grange, Kenduskeag, [illegible], January 26.

[illegible] Pomona Grange—Next meeting [with] Woolwich Grange, Woolwich, [illegible], January 30.

[illegible] County Pomona Grange—Next [meeting] with Pittsfield Grange, Tuesday, [Feb.] 5.

[Androsc]oggin County Pomona Grange—[Next me]eting with Lake View Grange, [illegible], February 6.

[Cumbe]rland County Pomona Grange—[Next me]eting with Gray Grange, Gray, [illegible], February 6.

[illegible] County Pomona Grange—Next [meeting] with Goodwin Mills Grange, [illegible], February 21.

Farmers' Institutes.

[illegible], Wednesday, January 23.

[illegible], Thursday, January 24.

[illegible], Friday, January 25.

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Baker's, Fry's and Epps' Cocoa,

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Alkethrepta, Broma, Cracked Cocoa, And Cocoa Shells.

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Jan3

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Jan17

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ORANGE BLOSSOM.

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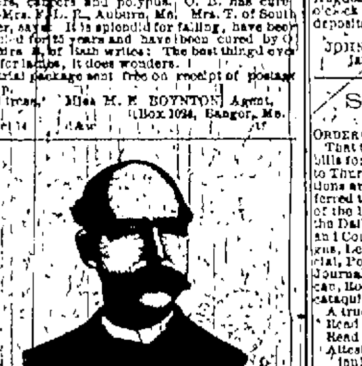
Address, Miss M. E. BOYNTON, Agent, (Box 1024, Bangor, Me.



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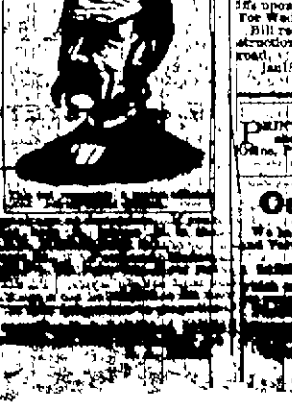

Child Can Use It.

Thousands of persons testify to its wonderful effect.

The applications are made to reach the diseased parts instantaneously, penetrating every cell and cavity of the head, communicating with [illegible] the mucous membrane [illegible] the healing action [illegible] [illegible]

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For Home Use.

I have tested its curative power, in my family, many times during the past thirty years, and have never known it to fail. It will relieve the most serious affections of the throat and lungs, whether in children or adults."—Mrs. E. G. Edgerly, Council Bluffs, Iowa.

"Twenty years ago, I was troubled with a disease of the lungs. Doctors afforded me no relief and considered my case hopeless. I then began to use Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, and, before I had finished one bottle, found relief. I continued to take this medicine until a cure was effected. I believe that Ayer's Cherry Pectoral saved my life."—Samuel Griggs, Waukegan, Ill.

"Six years ago I contracted a severe cold, which settled on my lungs and soon developed all the alarming symptoms of Consumption. I had a cough, night sweats, bleeding of the lungs, pains in chest and sides, and was so prostrated as to be confined to my bed most of the time. After trying various prescriptions, without benefit, my physician finally determined to give me Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. I took it, and the effect was magical. I seemed to rally from the first dose of this medicine, and, after using only three bottles, am as well and sound as ever."—Rodney Johnson, Springfield, Ill.

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NOTICE.

The Judiciary Committee will give hearings on the following matters:

On January 29th, on bill to prohibit furnishing cigarettes and tobacco to minors.

On Feb. 6th, on municipal suffrage for women.

By order of Committee.

JOSEPH [illegible], Secretary.

Jan10

STATE PRINTING AND BINDING.

The Committee on State Printing and Binding will be in session at the State House on January 24th 1889, at three o'clock, to receive proposals for State printing and also State binding for the political years of 1889 and 1890.

CHARLES [illegible] MERRILL, E. L. PATTENGALL, Chairmen.

PERHAM S. HEALD, Secretary.

Jan12 2w

RAILROADS, TELEGRAPHS AND EXPRESSES.

The Committee on Railroads, Telegraphs and Expresses will meet in their room on Wednesdays, at 2.30 P. M.

BENJAMIN J. HILL, JONATHAN G. CLARK, Chairmen.

Jan. 9th, 1889. eod1w

Committee on Interior Waters.

State House, Augusta, Jan. 17, 1889.

There will be a public hearing before the above Committee, at Room No. 6 in the State House at Augusta, THURSDAY, Jan. 24, 1889, at 2.30 P. M., on a petition of Edward Dotson and others to incorporate the Thorn Brook Dam Co.

F. M. SIMPSON, WM. ENGEL, Chairmen.

FRANK W. HOVEY, Sec.

Jan19 td

Committee on Interior Waters.

State House, Augusta, Jan. 17, 1889.

There will be a public hearing before the above Committee, at Room No. 6 in the State House at Augusta, THURSDAY, Jan. 24, 1889, at 2.30 P. M., on an act to incorporate [illegible] Lake Dam Co.

F. M. SIMPSON, WM. ENGEL, Chairmen.

FRANK W. HOVEY, Sec.

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Committee on Interior Waters.

State House, Augusta, Jan'y 17, 1889.

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F. M. SIMPSON, WM. ENGEL, Chairmen.

FRANK W. HOVEY, Sec.

Jan19 td

Hearing on the Ballot Bill.

STATE HOUSE, AUGUSTA, ME., January 17, 1889.

There will be a public hearing before the Committee on Legal Affairs in the Senate Chamber at Augusta, on Thursday, Jan. 31, 1889, at 2 o'clock, P. M., on Australian ballot bill, and all other matters relating to changes in our election laws.

O. B. CLASON, Secretary.

Jan19 Jan31

Legislative Hearing.

COMMITTEE ON BANKS AND BANKING.

STATE HOUSE, Augusta, Me., Jan'y 16, 1889.

There will be a public hearing before the above named Committee, in the Senate Chamber, at Augusta, on THURSDAY, Jan'y 24th, 1889, at 7 o'clock P. M., on Bill "An act to reduce the tax on deposits in Savings Banks."

CHARLES C. BURRILL, Chairman.

JOHN F. HILL, Sec'y.

Jan15 eod 3t

STATE OF MAINE.

IN SENATE, January 3, 1889.

ORDERED:—

That the time for the reception of petitions and bills for private and special legislation, be limited to Thursday, January 31st, 1889, and that all petitions and bills presented after that date be referred to the next Legislature, and that the Clerk of the House cause this order to be published in the Daily Kennebec Journal, Bangor Daily Whig and Courier, Portland Daily Press, Eastern Argus, Lewiston Daily Journal, Bangor Commercial, Portland Evening Express, Biddeford Daily Journal, Bath Daily Times, Aroostook Republican, Rockland Opinion, Ellsworth American, Piscataquis Observer, and Machias Republican.

A true copy of order as—

Read and passed in the Senate. Att[illegible]

Read and passed in concurrence in the House.

Attest— NICHOLAS FESSENDEN, Clerk.

Jan10 3w

Railroads and Telegraphs.

The Committee on Railroads and Telegraphs have assigned hearings upon bills and petitions referred to them as follows:

For Wednesday, Jan. 23d:

Act to incorporate the Rockland Street Railway Co.

Amendment to charter of Lime Rock Railroad Company.

Bill to ratify lease of Bangor and Katahdin Iron Works Railway to B. & P. R. R. Co.

Act to incorporate the Commercial Union Telegraph Company of Maine.

Petition for extension of Waldo and Somerset R. R.

Act relative to extension of time for extending the Rumford Falls and Buckfield R. R.

Act to authorize the Portland Railroad Company to operate its road by electricity.

Petition of North Franklin Telephone and Telegraph Co. for amendment to charter.

Act to amend charter of Waterville and Fairfield R. R. Co.

Petitions for a charter for a Lime Rock Railroad and a Horse Railroad in Thomaston.

Petition for a charter for an Electric Railroad in Brunswick, Topsham and Harpswell.

For Wednesday, Jan 30th:

All petitions and bills relative to fares and tariffs upon railroads and steamboats.

For Wednesday, February 6th:

Bill relative to extension of time for the construction of the Carrabassett and Canadian Railroad.

PARKER SPOFFORD, Sec'y.

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WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 23, 1889.

Making Laws for Maine.

The attention of those Maine Republican newspapers who oppose ballot reform is called to the fact that the only Governor who has ever shown his dislike of such a reform by his veto is Gov. Hill, of New York, whose majority comes from the saloons and vice-breeding purlieus of New York city. Gov. Hill knew on which side his bread was buttered. With a clean ballot he did not feel secure. If there is one thing more than any other the Republican party is pledged to it is a free vote and fair count. Any system of laws framed to secure this it must defend, and sustain or confess itself insincere and hypocritical.—*Biddeford Journal.*

Now will our esteemed contemporary please inform an interested public what connection there is between the action of Gov. Hill and the discussion as to the necessity of a secret ballot in Maine? Ever since this matter has been before the people the papers favoring the change in our election laws have resorted to such arguments as the above, which, in our opinion, only serves to illustrate the weakness of their position. We are not considering legislation for New York, but for Maine. The only question for the Legislature to meet is whether the proposed change is necessary in this State, and anything that tends to divert attention from this essential point weakens rather than strengthens the case of the advocates of the secret ballot bill. THE WHIG has been quite as steadfast in its championship of a free vote and a fair count as the papers now advocating this bill, and when that is denied to the people of the State of Maine we shall favor such changes in our laws as will most effectually remedy the evil. Are our people now defrauded of their rights at the polls? We say they are not; that in the elections last fall the voters *freely* and *fairly* recorded their preferences as between the different political parties and therefore there is no occasion for meddling with the statutes in this State, whatever may be the condition of affairs elsewhere.

Tariff Bill Adopted.

The Senate Tariff bill passed yesterday by a strict party vote, yeas thirty-two, nays thirty. Mr. Vance gave his last expiring kick at the tariff by an amendment to put lumber on the free list. The Republicans defeated the amendment, two Democrats, Brown and Call of Georgia, voting with them. How grateful the Maine Democrats should be to their party for this last attempt to break down the barrier that stands between our lumbermen and Canadian competition. Still they will keep right on voting the Democratic ticket while expecting the Republicans to save them from disaster. The bill now goes to the House which will probably refuse to adopt this substitute for the Mills bill.

Bangor Will Be Heard From.

The Portland *Press* is making a gallant fight for the removal of the State Capitol to the "Natural Seaport," and if the business men of that city were only alive to their interests the thing could easily be accomplished. A little "down east" push would be a good thing in Portland just now. Just think how Bangor would take hold of such a project.—*Fairfield Journal.*

Bangor will take hold of the project when it seems at all likely that the State Capitol is to be moved from its present location. With the exception of the question of population, which is in favor of Portland, although of no especial importance as regards this particular matter, Bangor can present a stronger case than any other city in the State, being more centrally located.

Suppression of the Republican Vote.

The New York *Tribune* is doing good work in calling attention at this time to the unfair advantage obtained by the Democrats in the South by reason of the suppression of the Republican vote, supporting its argument by figures which our Democratic contemporaries let severely alone. This unfair advantage, it says, extends not only to representation in Congress, but necessarily to the election of President. How great it is may be seen by comparing the official vote in a number of Northern and Southern States with the electorial vote of each. Divide the total vote of each State by the number of its electoral votes, and this is the number of votes represented by one electoral vote in the following States:

Pennsylvania,	34,230
Indiana,	35,790
Ohio,	36,537
New York,	36,587
Minnesota,	37,612
Michigan,	40,113

Applying the same process to the vote of certain Southern States, we have the following as the number of votes represented by one electoral vote:

Alabama,	17,511
Florida,	16,655
Louisiana,	14,485
Mississippi,	12,816
Georgia,	11,903
South Carolina,	8,340

One vote in South Carolina then has as much power in the election of a President as five votes of Michigan. Will any intelligent man pretend to believe that this is a healthful condition of affairs, or a fit subject for the flippant treatment bestowed upon it by the Northern doughfaces? Their favorite answer to such representations is the suggestion—for they have no proof to offer—that the negroes are learning to vote the Democratic ticket. This is disproved by many circumstances, one of which is that in the States in which the negroes are thoroughly cowed comparatively few whites take the trouble to vote, and the Democratic vote has fallen off so much that it is absurd to suppose that any considerable number of negroes are voting that ticket. But a still more important one is that in other States where it is notorious the negroes enjoy more liberty, they are evidently still voting the Republican ticket with enthusiasm.

How is this to be accounted for except upon the theory that in some States the Republican vote is thoroughly cowed or counted out, while in some others it manages to make itself felt, though not to the degree that might be expected with thoroughly honest elections? If the negro is tired of voting the Republican ticket in Louisiana, why not in Virginia? We have already printed the figures showing that in the five States of Alabama, Georgia, Louisiana, Mississippi and South Carolina the Republican vote has fallen off since 1876, 186,790 votes, although the total vote of the country has increased during that time 35 per cent. Now take certain other Southern States, and it will be found that the Republicans, instead of having learned to vote the Democratic ticket, have increased their vote during that time, though they have not always been allowed to get their full share of the increase of the total vote. The following are five Southern States in which the Republican vote has shown large gains in the last twelve years:

	1876	1888	Increase.
Arkansas,	75,680	57,197	47 per cent.
North Carolina,	108,417	134,784	24 per cent.
Tennessee,	89,566	138,988	55 per cent.
Virginia,	95,558	150,438	57 per cent.
Texas,	44,806	88,280	97 per cent.

These figures make a surprising contrast to those from Alabama, Georgia, Louisiana, Mississippi and South Carolina, which show a decrease in the Republican vote ranging all the way from 15 to 84 per cent. It would be rash, however, to infer that the situation of the Republican voters in the States named in the table just given is all that can be desired. The following will show that good care is usually taken that the Republican vote shall not reach the danger point. Even where their vote has increased faster than the total vote they do not succeed in carrying the State:

	Increase of Republican vote since 1876.	Increase of total vote since 1876.
Arkansas,	47 per cent.	60 per cent.
North Carolina,	24 per cent.	30 per cent.
Tennessee,	55 per cent.	50 per cent.
Virginia,	57 per cent.	21 per cent.
Texas,	97 per cent.	58 per cent.

All these figures go to show the astonishing vitality of the Republican party, even under conditions that are not favorable. They completely dispose of the theory that the disappearance of the Republican vote in half a dozen Southern States is due to natural causes.

Goff Will Not be Bulldozed.

A Wheeling, West Virginia, despatch thus outlines the Democratic plot to steal control of the State government: It is now more apparent than ever that the result of the present contest for the Governorship in this State will be a dual government for a brief space, at least, after March 4th, and that the Federal Administration will have to be called upon to settle the difficulty. The situation is a grave one and results from one of the most base and unscrupulous schemes to defeat the will of the people that has ever been hatched in any State of the Union. It is briefly this:

No sooner had the Democrats been defeated in the courts in their efforts to prevent the delivery of the returns of Kanawha County to the Legislature with which Goff has a majority of the votes cast for Governor in the State, than the revolutionists began to search the constitution for technical pretexts for withholding a declaration of the result when the vote should come to be opened in the presence of the two houses in joint assembly. The Constitution requires the Speaker of the House, in the presence of the two houses sitting in joint assembly to open and publish the vote, after which the person having the highest vote is to be declared elected Governor. The scheme now hatching in Charleston is to refuse to declare the result on the pretext of Flemming's contest and thus make it possible for Governor Wilson to hold over after March 4 next and keep the seat warm for Fleming until after he should have been declared, as soon as may be, by a partisan majority entitled to the place.

The revolutionists propose to find in section third of article seventh of the constitution a pretext for their proposed programme. This section reads as follows:

"The returns of every election for the above named offices shall be sealed up and transmitted by the returning officer to the Secretary of the State, directed to the Speaker of the House of Delegates, who shall, immediately after the organization of the House and before proceeding to business, open and publish the same in the presence of a majority in each House of the Legislature, which shall for that purpose assemble in the House of Delegates. The person having the largest number of votes for such offices shall be declared duly elected thereto, but if two or more have an equal and the highest number of votes for the same office the Legislature shall by joint vote choose one of such persons for said office."

Speaker Woods, as soon as he opens and reads the returns, is to go no further, on the pretext that it is doubtful whether he is the proper person to declare the result, notwithstanding it is, and always has been the practice so to do, and the joint assembly is to be declared dissolved and the State being without a Governor on March 4 next, Wilson is to continue until Fleming can be slipped in after a farce of a contest is gone through with.

But General Goff does not intend that the failure to declare the result at Charleston shall cheat him out of the governorship and put Fleming in. The formality which the revolutionists propose to withhold does not invalidate the result of the polls. The formality of declaring the result, which the returns declare, which the Speaker must open and read, does not affect in the slightest the right of the person found to have the highest vote from qualifying for his position. That General Goff will go before a proper officer and take the oath of office as governor-elect of this State will certainly occur if he is alive. If he is denied entry into the State House, and forcibly resisted, he will call first upon the civilian aid of the State, and next, as commander-in-chief of the militia, he will call on the military. If Governor Wilson resists to this point and also calls out the military to aid him the Government of the United States will be promptly appealed to and there is no reasonable doubt that it will promptly respond.

Special Notices.

NOROMBEGA LODGE, NO. 5, K. of P.

Regular session this (Wednesday) evening, at 8 o'clock, at Pythian Hall. A full attendance is requested.

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Woodland Club.

Would the members [illegible] who have been invited [illegible] the Club, who intend to go [illegible] WEDNESDAY [illegible] or inform either [illegible] Tuesday noon if possible [illegible] week whether they will [illegible] or both, at Woodland.

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Committee on Arrangements.

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In Oakland, Cal., [illegible] years, son of Andrew [illegible] Funeral from his [illegible] Street, Wednesday, at [illegible]

In Orrington, Jan. 2[illegible] of F. L. and E. M. [illegible]

Dearly loved [illegible]
For a bright [illegible]
We would [illegible]
It is God that [illegible]

In Glenburn, Jan. 2[illegible] Charles E. and Mar[illegible] months and 21 days.

In this city, Jan. 22d, Street, Ebenezer Tra[illegible] months.

Marine Journal.

DOMESTIC PORTS.

CHARLESTON—A[illegible] Stover, Swan Island.

FALL RIVER, Mass[illegible] lina, Jordan, New York.

LYNN, Mass. [illegible] Chadbourne, Hoboken.

PROVIDENCE, RI. [illegible] Winslow, South Amboy.

SAVANNAH—Ar [illegible] dleton, New York.

HYANNIS, Mass. [illegible] ings, Gray, New York.

FOREIGN PORTS.

Ar at Havre Jan 10, [illegible] San Francisco.

Ar at Cienfuegos Ja[illegible] Norton, Bridgewater, [illegible]

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

Monetary Quotations.

NEW YORK, Jan 22. [illegible] from 1½ a 2½ per cent [illegible] Prime Mercantile [illegible] Sterling Exchange [illegible] 60 days and 4.88 for deman[d] Government bonds [illegible] Railroad bonds [illegible]

Adams Express	148	[illegible]
American Express	10[illegible]	[illegible]
Central Pacific	34½	[illegible]
Ches. & Ohio	[illegible]	[illegible]
Chicago & Alton	135	[illegible]
preferred	150	[illegible]
Chic. Bur. & Quincy	10[illegible]	[illegible]
Del. Hudson	138	[illegible]
Del. Lack	[illegible]	[illegible]
Den. & Rio Grande	1[illegible]	[illegible]
Erie	2[illegible]	[illegible]
preferred	6[illegible]	[illegible]
Ills. Central	114	[illegible]
Ind. Bloom. & West	9[illegible]	[illegible]
Lake Erie & West	1[illegible]	[illegible]
Lake Shore	10[illegible]	[illegible]
Louisville & Nash	5[illegible]	[illegible]
Manhattan El.	9[illegible]	[illegible]
Mich. Cent	8[illegible]	[illegible]
Minn. & St. L.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Preferred	[illegible]	[illegible]
Mo. Pacific	7[illegible]	[illegible]
N. J. Cent	[illegible]	[illegible]
Northern Pac	2[illegible]	[illegible]
Preferred	6[illegible]	[illegible]
Northwestern	107	[illegible]
Preferred	1[illegible]	[illegible]
N. Y. Cent	1[illegible]	[illegible]
N. Y. Chic. & St. L.	17[illegible]	[illegible]
Preferred	7[illegible]	[illegible]
Ohio Cent	[illegible]	[illegible]
Ohio & Miss	2[illegible]	[illegible]
Ont. & West	1[illegible]	[illegible]

New York Produce Market.

NEW YORK, Jan 22. Flour—[illegible]

[illegible]

OATS—Receipts 39,000; exports, 103; sales 38,000; No. 2, 30 a 30¾; white, 30¼ a 30½; No. 2, 31¼ a 31¾; do. white, 34½ a 34½; No. 1, [illegible]; do. white, [illegible] mixed Western, 26 a 33; white do. 34 a 3[illegible]; [illegible] to State, 31 a 30.

MOLASSES—sales 00 [illegible]—Orleans 0.[illegible]

SUGAR dull—Standard A, 6⅞ a 0; granulated 7 a 0.000; powdered 7¼ a 0.00; cut loaf, [illegible]; crushed, 0 a 8½; confectioners, 7⅛ a 0.00, yellow, [illegible]

PETROLEUM—United, 88¼; [illegible] refined, 00 crude in barrels, 5¾ a 6⅛.

TALLOW steady—sales 00 lbs., 00; choice, 00.

PORK, steady—sales 250 bbls.—Mess, P. T., 18.[illegible]; old, 14 00 a 00.00 new.

Beef quiet.

LARD quiet.—Western steam, 7.45 a 0.00, refined 8.2[illegible]; continental 7.70 a 8.75.

BUTTER steady—Western, 16 a 20; State, 18 a [illegible] Creamery, 16 a 30.

CHEESE quiet—State, 10 a 12¼; Western, 10¼ [illegible]

Chicago Produce Market.

CHICAGO, Jan. 22. Flour steady.

WHEAT lower—No. 2 Spring, 94⅜ a [illegible]; No. 2 [illegible], 94¼ a 95.

CORN—No. 2, 00 a 34.

OATS—No. 2, 00 a 24½.

RYE—No. 2, 00 a 48.

BARLEY nominal.—No. 2, 00 a 73.

LARD—[illegible] 00.

PORK—Mess, $12.25.

Watertown, Mass. Cattle Market.

WATERTOWN, Jan. 23. Cattle market steady. Market beef—Extra, 0 75 a 7.00, first quality, 5.75; second, 5 00 a 5.50; third, 4.00 a 4.50.

Receipts of Cattle, 1,416.

Working oxen per pair—70 a 150.

Farrow cows, 12 a 30; fancy, 50 a 75; milch cows, calves, 25.00 a 48.00, yearlings, 8.50 a 16.00, [illegible] years, 12.00 a 25.00; three years, 22.00 a [illegible]

Swine,—Receipts, 1539—Western, fat, live, 5 [illegible]; Northern dressed, 0½ a 0¾.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 2,410—in lots, 2.00 [illegible]; extra, 4.00 a 5.50; veal calves, 2½ a 6¼.

Boston Market.—Jobbers' Prices.

[illegible] Jan. 21. There is a fair demand for flour, and prices are steady. [illegible] Western fine at $3.75 [illegible] $3.50 a $3.75; extras and [illegible] Minnesota bakers', $4.75 a $5 [illegible] Michigan [illegible] $5.25 a $5.50; winter [illegible] straights at [illegible] $5.40 a $5.75; winter [illegible] wheat patents, $6.[illegible]; spring wheat patents, [illegible] Cornmeal at $2.25 a 2.30 for kiln dried, $2.8[illegible] granulated.

[illegible]

[illegible] 00; Western choice, 17 a 18c dozen.

Financial Affairs.

The Committee on Financial Affairs will give a hearing on Friday, Feb. 1st, at 2 o'clock P. M., on [illegible] to provide for a State valuation.

CHAS. M. ADAMS, Secretary.

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U. S. COMPOUND OXYGEN CO.,

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J. E. HOOKER,

Leicester Street, corner of Mill.

[W]e are also kindly permitted to refer to the following residents of Bangor, Me.: Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Braun, 123 Essex Street, Miss Alice Buckram, 14 Cumberland Street, Mr. E. Banton, 32 Maple Street; and Mrs. [illegible] Lap, wife of the General Secretary of the [Y. M.] C. A.

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Merchants and business men:—It will pay you to examine our line of Blank Books, and the prices will convince you that we do as we advertise.

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Books bound in cloth, usual [illegible] cents, for Wednesday only, [illegible]

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ROOM PAPER.

Remnants—1[illegible] lots of Room [Paper con]taining from 2 to 16 rolls, from [illegible] 10 cents per roll.

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Bags, 25 cents, 37, 50, $1.00, [illegible] $1.50 to $4.00.

Scissors and pocket cutlery, odd ends, broken lots, one-half retail [price].

White Shirts, unlaundered, 29 c[ents].

Better grades, 61 cents.

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Authors, 15 cents.

Sliced animals, 15 cents.

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We are offering in our Drapery Department several special bargains in

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DRAPERIES,

which are worth looking at. Irish Point Draperies reduced from $12.00 to $8.50 per pair.

Real Swiss Curtains reduced from $11.00 to $7.50 per pair.

Fine Nottingham Curtains in Brussels and two tone effects reduced to $4.50 from $6 and $7 per pair.

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Owing to the continued bad weather we find we have more goods than we wish to carry over, consequently we are obliged to make

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WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 23, 1889.

BY TELEGRAPH.

MAINE NEWS.

FROM THE STATE CAPITOL.

Tuesday's Doings of the Legislature.

Many New Petitions and Orders Introduced.

[Special to Whig & Courier.]

AUGUSTA, Jan. 22. Business was brisk in both branches of the Legislature to-day and considerable important business was transacted.

In the Senate the following business was presented.

Petition of Dr. S. F. Green and 68 others of Solon, for repeal of the Insolvent law, by Mr. Walton; referred to the Judiciary Committee.

Petition of Dr. D. S. Hunnewell et als. of Madison, for repeal of the insolvency laws—presented by the same Senator, and referred the same.

Petition of Mary Bates Stevens, M. D., and 68 others for an enactment of the cigarette law; also petition of Miss Alice Pomeroy and 120 others for same. Both presented by Mr. Hill; referred to the Judiciary Committee.

Petitions of J. D. Bradford and 101 others of Union, C. E. Wetherbee and 68 others, of Biddeford, E. H. Wright and 18 others, of Aroostook county, Martha F. Rucker and 51 others of Anson, Hattie M. Philbrick and 85 others, of St. Albans, W. A. Crook and 57 others, of Houlton, for a law to prevent the sale of cigarettes to minors.

Several other petitions on the same subject were presented, also several petitions for protection of girls under eighteen.

Petition of Lucy A. Mullen and 141 others for the right of the ballot in municipal elections—by Mr. Ryder and referred to Judiciary Committee.

Petition of Fred C. Barker et. als. for the exclusive right to navigate Mooselemaguntic and Cupsuptic lakes—by Mr. Simpson; referred to Committee on Interior Waters.

Petition of John F. Hodson and seventy-five others, of New Portland, for an appropriation in aid of a preliminary survey of the Carrabassett and Canadian railroad, by Mr. Walton; referred to Committee on Railroads.

An act to amend Sec. 47, Chap. 3, R. S., relating to Banks and pledges, by Mr. Ryder; referred to Committee on Legal Affairs.

An act to amend Chap. 6, Sec. 7, R. S. of 1883, in relation to dogs, by Mr. Holbrook; referred to Committee on Legal Affairs.

An act to aid teachers in enforcing discipline, by Mr. Poor; referred to Committee on Education.

Remonstrance of John B. Frisbee and others against the repeal of Sections 1, 2, 3 and 5, of Chapter 363, of the Special Laws of 1885, by Mr. Hinckley; referred to Committee on Fisheries and Game.

Petition of John P. Clark and 12 others for charter to construct a telephone and telegraph line from Anson, in Somerset county through New Portland, Embden, Lexington, Highland, Dead River, and Flagstaff, to Eustis in Franklin county.

House.

Presented: Bill that counties shall provide tools for the breaking of stone and all persons convicted of being tramps shall be obliged to labor therein and the needful rules shall be maintained for government of such persons; "Section 17 is so amended that tramps who refuse to labor shall be placed in solitary confinement with only bread and water; mayors and selectmen shall appoint special constables in each school district to prosecute tramps; remonstrances of 370 women of Portland and 30 of Deering against suffrage for women.

Ordered, that the Committee on Military Affairs inquire into the expediency of changing the State military into a land and naval force by the formation of a naval battalion in accordance with recommendation of the Secretary of the Navy.

Ordered, that the Committee on Fisheries and Game be directed to inquire into the expediency of amending the law relating to deer so as to allow hunters and sportsmen to dispose of their game, where and to whom they please.

Numerous petitions were presented relative to selling tobacco and cigarettes to minors and the age of consent; also resolve for $400 to pay the expenses of delegates to the Farmers' National Congress and National Cattle Growers' Association; act to provide against the danger of the spread of small pox in paper mills by vaccination, act for incorporation of the Andover Agricultural Society; act to prevent the adulteration of wheat meal; petition for $15,000 appropriation for a temporary home for women and children; act that where two railroads cross one company can erect signals and the other company defray a portion of the expenses.

FROM BATH.

Knights of Labor Convention.

BATH, Jan. 22. The annual convention of District Assembly No. 86, Knights of Labor, convened here this forenoon in K. of L. hall. There were thirty delegates present.

FIRE IN LIBERTY.

The Knowlton Tannery Burned.

LIBERTY, Jan. 22. The Knowlton tannery here, owned and occupied by Hunt, Walker & Co., was burned to-day. The origin of the fire is unknown. The property was partially insured. The carding mill, owned by J. W. Knowlton, was also burned.

FROM BIDDEFORD.

A Druggist Wins His Case.

BIDDEFORD, Jan. 22. The United States Supreme Court, at Washington, has just rendered a decision in favor of John Berry, of Biddeford, in a suit concerning a patent druggists' percolator, brought against him by Rosenwasser & Company, Cleveland, Ohio. The suit has been pending in court five years. It was first tried in the United States District Court in Portland, and afterward in the Circuit Court.

Supreme Judicial Court.

The criminal docket was taken up in the Supreme Court at Saco, this afternoon. Benjamin W. Robbins, of Biddeford, was found guilty of selling short lobsters and lobsters in spawn.

FROM ROCKLAND.

Fourteen Cases of Diphtheria Reported.

ROCKLAND, Jan. 22. Six cases of diphtheria are reported in this city, and eight cases with one death, at Hurricane Isle.

BLAZE IN ROCKLAND.

Business Block Badly Burned.

The Thorndike Hotel Narrowly Escapes.

ROCKLAND, Jan. 22. The most disastrous fire that has occurred in this city for years broke out at 9 o'clock this morning in the business portion of Main street. The fire originated in the second story of a large block, in Dr. B. F. Batchelder's office. The block joined the Thorndike Hotel. The occupants of the block were Mrs. Sleeper, millinery store, Rose Brothers, the leading tailors of the city, Norcross & Co., drugs. There were a number of tenants in the upper story, including a barber's shop and doctor's office. Quite a high wind was prevailing at the time and it was feared that the Thorndike Hotel and a large portion of the buildings on Main street would be swept away.

The greatest excitement prevailed and many occupants of stores in the neighborhood began preparations for moving their stocks. Fortunately, however, the fire was got under control and confined to the block in which it originated. The fire is supposed to have originated from a defective flue and rapidly spread to adjoining rooms, working up to the roof. The building is known as the White and Wilson block. The entire third and a part of the second story being leased by the proprietors of the hotel and fitted up into rooms. The fire raged for two hours and a half, the intense cold making it difficult to get control of it, the water freezing almost before striking the building. The loss will approximate $30,000. All the parties are wholly or partially insured.

The Loss from $30,000 to $35,000.

The fire was not extinguished until four o'clock this afternoon. A steamer was brought from Thomaston, seven streams being thrown. A strong northwest wind prevailed, threatening the destruction of the adjoining blocks. The intense cold caused the water to freeze almost as soon as it left the nozzle. The lower floor was not invaded by the flames but the stocks were ruined by water. The insurance is as follows: Block, owned by John S. Case and Albert Reeves, of New York, $8,000; proprietors of hotel, $6,000; Rose Bros. tailors, $5,000; Norcross & Co., $4,000; N. T. Sleeper, milliner, $2,000; total, $25,000. The loss will exceed the insurance by from five to ten thousand dollars.

Another Fire Monday Night.

A fire broke out at ten o'clock last evening in the jewelry store of Genthner & Whitmore. The stock and store was considerably damaged. Cause and loss unknown.

SERIOUS ACCIDENTS.

A Fatal Fall Down Cellar.

PORTLAND, Jan. 22. Ezra Hurford fell down his cellar stairs last night, fatally injuring him. He is unconscious and sinking fast, there being no chance of his recovery.

A Doctor Breaks His Leg.

LEWISTON, Jan. 22. To-day Dr. Peables, of Auburn, in turning into a door yard was thrown from his sleigh and had his leg badly fractured.

MASSACHUSETTS.

A Big Business Sensation.

LAWRENCE, Jan. 22. The biggest business sensation for years was caused by the attachment and failure of J. H. Prescott & Co., lumber dealers, and the arrest this afternoon of the senior partner J. H. Prescott, charged with embezzlement. It is understood that moneys entrusted to his care for investment by other parties than the Joselyn Heirs, in whose behalf the suit and arrest are made, are also missing. Sensational developments are looked for in court to-morrow.

Funeral of a Railroad Man.

The remains of John Bailey, late Master of Maintenance of Way of the Boston and Maine road, was brought to this city this afternoon on a special train, for interment at Bellevue cemetery. Superintendent Furber and Master Mechanic Smith were present. Fully 200 employes of the road participated in the funeral procession.

Sudden Death of a Doctor.

SPRINGFIELD, Jan. 22. Dr. William Gilman Breck, of this city, died suddenly at Chicopee this afternoon of pulmonary apoplexy. He was called to attend Vicar-General Healy, in consultation with Dr. Melley, and was taken with rupture at the bedside of the patient, dying in twenty minutes. He was Senior Surgeon of Springfield Hospital, ex-President of Hampden County Medical Association, member of the Massachusetts Medical Society, and for many years Surgeon of the Boston and Albany, and New York, New Haven and Hartford railroads. He was born in Franklin County, Vermont, November 11th, 1818.

Death of Vicar-General Healy.

Patrick Healy, Roman Catholic Vicar-General of the Springfield Diocese, under Bishop O'Reilly, of this city, died of apoplexy at his home in Chicopee this evening. He was born in Dungourley, Ireland, was sixty-four years of age, educated at Waterford University, and St. John's College, and ordained in 1854. He moved to America and was assigned as assistant at the old St. James' church, Boston, was transferred to East Boston, then to Ware, and transferred in 1864 to Chicopee. He introduced the order of Christian Brothers in Massachusetts.

HELD AS HOSTAGES.

The Missionaries Captured by the Arabs.

ZANZIBAR, Jan. 22. The Arabs have made the evacuation of the coast by the Germans the first condition to the release of the missionaries who have been captured by them. The naval garrison at Dar Es Salem has been compelled to withdraw, owing to a severe outbreak of fever among the men. Further fighting occurred at Bagomayo on Saturday. The coast Arabs are jubilant over their recent victories and captures.

The Italian war ship Dogali has withdrawn from the blockade. Large shipments of arms and ammunition are arriving from Belgium, England and Germany. The British Indians are preparing a petition demanding compensation for the ruin brought upon their trade by the fighting between the insurgents and the Germans.

NEW HAMPSHIRE.

Young Men's Christian Association.

PORTSMOUTH, Jan. 22. The directors of the new Young Men's Christian Association met last evening at the Association rooms and organized by the adoption of by-laws for the board of directors and by-laws for the Association. The following officers were chosen for the year: President, E. P. Kimball; Vice President, Henry A. Yeaton; Recording Secretary, John Pickering; Treasurer, Lewis E. Staples; Auditor, A. M. Gardner. The Association is progressing rapidly under Secretary Purington, formerly of Providence, R. I.

Burglary in Portsmouth.

The store of Alonzo W. Greene, on Water street, was entered on Sunday night by some persons who cut out a pane of glass in the rear window and threw back the catch. The money drawer was rifled and about $10 in change stolen. The thief also carried off a quantity of tobacco and cigars. It is supposed by the police that the job was done by some one well acquainted with the place.

NEW JERSEY.

A Retired Banker Commits Suicide.

HOBOKEN, Jan. 22. Charles F. D. [illegible], a retired banker, committed suicide by shooting with a revolver to-day. He retired from the [illegible] York Stock Exchange a year ago, [illegible]

CONGRESSIONAL.

The Senate Passes the Tariff Bill.

A Customs Commission Established.

The House Wastes Another Day in Inaction.

Senate.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22. The Senate resumed consideration of the tariff bill, the pending question being on the amendment offered by Mr. Regan to the wood section. The amendment was rejected.

Mr. Vance moved a proviso that no article in the wool and woolen schedule should pay a rate of duty exceeding 75 per cent ad valorem; rejected.

The schedule relating to wood and wooden wares was then taken up.

An amendment was agreed to, inserting the words, "white pine, one dollar and fifty cents per one thousand feet, board measure."

Mr. Vest moved to amend by striking out the words "two dollars per thousand" in the paragraph as to clapboards and inserting "shall be admitted free of duty."

The amendment offered by Mr. Vance to make lumber of all kinds free of duty was rejected by a strict party vote, except that Messrs. Call and Brown voted with Republicans.

Mr. Vance's amendment, placing lumber on the free list, was defeated after considerable debate, 19 to 28, Messrs. Brown and Call voting against it.

Mr. Hiscock, on behalf of the Finance Committee, offered a proviso, which was agreed to, that in case of the imposition of export duties by any foreign government the duty on such sawed lumber shall remain as under the present law.

Mr. Aldrich, on behalf of the Finance Committee, moved to insert after paragraph 210, the words, "Reeds, 10 per cent ad valorem, chair cane 15"; agreed to.

Mr. Aldrich also moved to increase the rate on sawed boards of mahogany, etc. (paragraph 215) from 15 to 20 per cent ad valorem; agreed to.

Mr. Vest moved to put on the free list wood manufactured (paragraph 214), and sawed boards of mahogany, etc. (paragraph 215); rejected.

Mr. Sherman offered a proviso which was agreed to, to paragraph 257, taxing fresh fish half a cent a pound, that the duty shall not apply to fresh fish caught by citizens of the United States on the high seas or in open waters of the lakes forming the boundary between the United States and Canada.

Mr. Eustis moved to amend paragraphs 219 and 220, in the sugar schedule, by reducing the rate on sugar above number 16 and not above number 20, Dutch standard from 1 5-8 to 1 4-8 cents per pound, and on sugar above number 20 from 2 cents to 1 3/4 cents. He made an argument in support of the amendment, which was opposed by Mr. Aldrich who said it would destroy the sugar refining interests; rejected.

Paragraph 412, calf skins, etc., was amended by increasing the ad valorem rate from 20 to 25 per cent, and on skins for morocco from 10 to 15 per cent.

On motion of Mr. Aldrich, from the Committee, the rice paragraph was finally amended, 45 to 11, by making the rate 1 1/2 cents on cleaned rice, one cent on uncleaned rice, one half cent on paddy rice, and one quarter on broken rice.

Mr. Plumb moved to insert an additional paragraph, creating and establishing in the Treasury Department a commission, known as the customs commission; agreed to.

It provides for the appointment by the President, with the advice and consent of the Senate, of five commissioners, to hold office two, three, four, five and six years, respectively, not more than three to be of the same political party, with a salary of $7,500 per annum, the permanent office of the Commission to be in Washington.

An amendment reported from the Finance Committee to paragraph 257, as to oranges, lemons and limes was agreed to. It increases the rates per package, according to capacity, from 10, 20 and 40 to 13, 25 and 50 cents, and from 8 cents for every additional cubic foot, to ten cents.

Mr. Allison offered an amendment from the committee, agreed to, repealing the provision of the law requiring a stamp to be affixed to every box of imported cigars to indicate the inspection thereof by customs officers.

Several other amendments offered were rejected.

On motion of Mr. Allison, the date for the bill to go into effect section 12, was changed from February 1st, 1889, to July 1st, 1889.

The substitute was then accepted and the bill passed by a strict party vote, yeas 32, nays 30.

Mr. Riddleberger stated that had he not been paired he would have voted against the bill on account of the adoption of the amendments of Mr. Plumb, presumably the customs commission provision.

Adjourned till noon to-morrow.

House.

Mr. Crisp called up, as a privileged matter, the contested election case of Smalls against Elliott. The House refused to consider it.

After half an hour of filibustering by Mr. Cheadle, the House went into Committee of the Whole on the river and harbor appropriation bill.

Mr. Cox, of New York, offered an amendment, appropriating $50,000 for the establishment of a harbor of refuge at Point Judith, R. I., and read memorials from the New York Chamber of Commerce and other commercial bodies in advocacy of the proposition. These he obtained leave to have printed in the Record. He then withdrew the amendment, stating that he had only desired to put the facts before the House, upon which it could base future action.

Filibustering of a mild but effective type was indulged in by Messrs. Sowden, of Pennsylvania, and Cheadle, of Indiana, to impede the progress of the bill for the improvement of Gowanus bay, which was finally lost, and pending further action the committee rose and the House adjourned.

AN INSANE CLERGYMAN

Tries to Burn Up His Family.

PATERSON, N. J., Jan. 22. Rev. Mr. Lockwood, pastor of the Reformed church at Fairfield, suffering acute dementia, Sunday night, made wild threats to kill his wife and children. They barricaded themselves in a portion of the house. The madman lighted a fire in each room and as the floors and furniture blazed up made threats to brain the members of his family if they attempted to escape. When the fire was almost upon them a neighbor attracted by the flames gave the alarm. The people quickly gathered, secured the maniac and rescued the family. The parsonage was consumed.

WILL BE MISSED.

Death of the Landlady of the Flume House.

BOSTON, Jan. 22. Mrs. Samuel Elliott, who, with her sons Josiah and Seth H., has conducted the Flume House, Franconia Notch, White Mountains, for the past seventeen years, died there Tuesday morning of paralysis. Her loss will be keenly felt by all who have made the Flume House their summer home. She was born in Lisbon, N. H., May, 1824. Her funeral will take place in Franconia, N. H., on Friday at 12 o'clock.

ENGLISH FORGER ARRESTED.

Forty-four Warrants Held Against Him.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 22. Thomas Barton, of Macclesfield, Eng., was arrested last night for a series of forgeries committed in Great Britain. He is accused of forging his step-mother's name to stock certificates of the London and Northwestern Railway Company, amounting to £25,000. Barton confessed. Scotland Yard Detective Jarvis stated that he had forty-four warrants in his possession against the accused. The forgeries began in 1874 and continued until 1885. He was held for extradition.

FROM CANADA.

High Water at Montreal.

MONTREAL, Jan. 22. An ice shove in the river last night, broke down a portion of the temporary dyke promenade.

At noon to-day the river marked 25 feet and two inches, having risen seven feet since yesterday morning, being 10 feet [illegible]

FROM WASHINGTON.

News About the Capital.

The Troubles in Samoa.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22. Secretary Bayard was interviewed to-day relative to the despatches from London and Berlin on Samoa matters. He refused to discuss the subject in the press, but referred the questioner to the President's message to Congress of the 11th inst. as an indication of this government's policy; also his letter to German Minister of the 12th instant as indicative of his own views on the subject. He said: "Of course I expect Germany to live up to her honorable engagements with the United States. I have no right to think otherwise."

He also alluded to the agreement entered into between the English and German dominions in the West Pacific Ocean, in which it is specifically declared that the Samoan Islands are neutral territory. The United States, he explained, has no joint treaty with either England or Germany in regard to the neutrality of Samoa, therefore if Germany has interfered with the neutrality of that country, she has not broken a treaty with the United States but one with Great Britain.

The Nicaragua Canal Bill.

The conferees on the part of the House on the Nicaragua Canal bill to-day reached an agreement. They refuse to give any information as to the basis, but sufficient is gathered to warrant the assumption that the bill has been divested of such amendments added by the House as made it, according to common understanding, undesirable for the company to accept.

FIRE RECORD.

Cotton Mill Damaged.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Jan. 22. Fire in the mule room of the Elmwood mill, this morning, originating in friction, damaged the mules and carding room to the amount of $6,000.

SENATORS ELECTED.

Coke Re-elected in Texas.

AUSTIN, Texas, Jan. 22. The Legislature to-day re-elected Hon. Richard Coke United States Senator, without opposition.

Mr. Ransom Elected in North Carolina.

RALEIGH, N. C., Jan. 22. In the Legislature to-day Hon. Mr. Ransom was elected United States Senator for the term beginning March 4th.

Minnesota Elects W. D. Washburn.

ST. PAUL, Jan. 22. After an exciting session, investigating the charges of bribery in the recent Republican nominations for United States Senator, the doors of the Senate opened at 11.15 to-night. The pending question was the election of United States Senator. Senator Daniels who presided at the Republican caucus, nominated Gen. W. D. Washburn. Senator Crandall said he was in doubt about the propriety of voting for W. D. Washburn, and made this statement to explain the vote he would cast. Senator Keller, independent Democratic, said the Senate had already decided that there was no corruption and he wanted purity and loyalty truth, and desired to vote for a new man. No nomination was made by the Democrats, and they refrained from voting. A great many Senators explained their votes. Senator Edwards, of the Investigating Committee, said the Senate had been listening all day to perjured testimony.

The ballot resulted: Washburn 21, E. M. Wilson 2, Knute Nelson, 1. The vote was completed at 12.15 and the Senate adjourned.

SUICIDE OF A CLERGYMAN.

The Act Caused by Despondency.

BOSTON, Jan. 22. Rev. Thomas Marcy, a superannuated Methodist clergyman, who had lived with relatives at Newton for several years, committed suicide Monday night by shooting. He was seventy-five years old. The act was attributed to despondency from a chronic disease which had afflicted him several years.

RAILROAD NEWS.

Mr. Blaine Presides at Baltimore.

BALTIMORE, Md., Jan. 22. At the annual meeting of the West Virginia Central and Pittsburg Railroad Co. to-day Hon. J. G. Blaine presided. Emmons Blaine represented his brother, Walker, whose broken leg prevented his attendance. Mr. Blaine voted the proxy of Secretary Bayard, which caused some amusement. Mr. Blaine also voted the proxy of William H. Barnum.

The Trunk Lines.

NEW YORK, Jan. 22. The Trunk Line Presidents met to-day and adopted resolutions recognizing in the agreement of the western Presidents the principles already included in the trunk line agreement; directing the Commissioner to report at a future meeting what modifications if any, in the trunk line agreement are advisable; that such report embody rules for reports to the Inter-State Commerce Commission of violations of law; that the principle of arbitration be, if necessary, more clearly reaffirmed and that provision be made against any trunk line being used by connecting lines in violation of the spirit of the trunk line agreement.

THE COTTON CROP

Said to be the Largest Ever Made.

CHARLESTON, S. C., Nov. 22. The News and Courier says, editorially, that few now dispute the fact that the cotton crop of 1889-89 will be the largest ever made, approximating 7,000,000 bales.

REPUBLICAN CLERKS DISCHARGED.

A Reason which is only an Excuse.

NEW YORK, Jan. 22. All the nine clerks discharged from the Appraiser's office to-day have been active Republican workers. They admit having electioneered for the Republican ticket in the late campaign. When asked the reason for his action Appraiser Stearns told the reporter it was due in most cases to dull work in the office and in one case for incompetency.

PENNSYLVANIA.

Another Sudden Disappearance.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 22. Daniel Duffy, in charge of the upholstering department of John & James Dobson for a number of years, has disappeared. It is alleged he has embezzled funds. The reported shortage is between $10,000 and $25,000.

VERMONT.

Granite Quarrying Company Formed.

MONTPELIER, Jan. 22. A stock company comprising several prominent residents of Montpelier, has been formed to purchase and operate H. H. Wetmore's granite quarry in Barre.

CRIMES AND THEIR CONSEQUENCES.

Sentenced to be Hung for Murder.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., Jan. 22. John Greenwall was sentenced to-day to hang March 12th for the murder of Lyman Weeks, who was killed while defending his home from burglary.

BASE BALL.

Boston Releases Hornung.

BOSTON, Jan. 22. The Boston base ball club directors to-night voted to release Joseph Hornung, left fielder, from the reserve, to allow him to secure a satisfactory engagement unhampered. All league clubs waived claims to his services.

DEAD IN HIS ROOM.

Throat Cut from Ear to Ear.

CHICAGO, Jan. 22. Frederick W. Bidwell, treasurer of the Manufacturers Paper Co. of New York, was found dead in his room at Grace Hotel, to-day. His throat was cut from ear to ear.

LEFT HIS CIRCLES

And Gone Off on a Tangent.

MOBILE, Ala., Jan. 22. George A. Pierce, Secretary of the Planters and Merchants' Insurance Company, has departed, $40,000 or more short. Pierce was prominent in religious and social circles.

A BAD COLORED GIRL.

MECHANICSVILLE, Ala., Jan. 22. The [illegible]

BOILER EXPLOSION.

One Man Killed and Two Injured.

ST. JOHNSBURY, Vt., Jan. 22. The boiler of a portable steam saw mill, situated in the west part of Danville, exploded this afternoon, instantly killing Ernest Comstock of this place, seriously injuring Albert Morgan, whose leg was amputated, and Carl White, whose arm was broken. Comstock leaves a young wife nearly helpless with paralysis and a young child.

FOREIGN NEWS.

Mrs. Phelps Presented with a Bracelet.

LONDON, Jan. 22. Lady Salisbury and Lady Rosebery called at the residence of Minister Phelps this afternoon and informally presented Mrs. Phelps with a superb bracelet. The bracelet is inscribed: "Presented to Mrs. Phelps on her leaving England, as a token of affectionate regard, from some of her English friends, January 22, 1888."

Killed by a Fall of Rock.

Seven persons were killed to-day by the fall of rock in the tunnel of the Rhondda Railway, at Aberwynd, Wales.

Lively Work of a Maxim Gun.

Advices from West Africa say eleven native policemen, headed by British officers, in a conflict with a party of Whatoys, at Sulymah, killed 131 of the enemy with a Maxim gun and the rest fled.

A Report Denied.

BERLIN, Jan. 22. There is no truth in the report that Germany has come to an agreement with the United States in regard to the difficulties in Samoa.

THE WEATHER.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
OFFICE CHIEF SIGNAL OFFICER,
WASHINGTON, Jan. 23, 1 A. M.

Indications:

For New England, Warmer; fair weather; winds becoming variable.

AMUSEMENTS.

Little Lord Fauntleroy.

Another very large audience gave "Little Lord Fauntleroy" a warm reception last evening upon the occasion of the reproduction of the delightful play, and it is needless to say that the success of the previous performance was once more the result. It is a play highly pleasing to old and young alike, and never fails to make a deep impression. The company added to its laurels already won and each character was assumed in a most effective manner. Owing to an accident which yesterday befel Belle Ross, who was to have taken the part of "Little Lord Fauntleroy," she was unable to appear, and Walla Eddinger again charmed each member of the audience. The visit of the company has been a source of enjoyment to very many of our people.

Dockstader's Minstrels.

There has been an excellent sale of seats for the performance this evening by Dockstader's Minstrels and there will undoubtedly be a large attendance. Report indicates that the troupe will give one of the best entertainments in the burnt cork line ever presented here, and one of a high order of minstrelsy. This company will appear here in its entirety, giving the same excellent programme which met with such warm praise during their recent engagements in the Boston Theatre, augmenting even that array of novelties by concluding with a fine burlesque of the popular opera "Erminie," in which the most famous airs of that operatic work will be sung. It may be necessary to explain that Dockstader's company has never made any street parades, depending on their reputation as artists to do more for them than the senseless and undignified display in the streets so common with the average minstrel show. The company numbers thirty-four members.

The McGibeny Family.

Some very enjoyable concerts are expected to be given by the McGibeny Family at the Opera House tomorrow and Friday evenings and Friday afternoon at 3.30 o'clock, as the reputation of this family warrants such anticipation. The Manchester *Union* says in its notice:

Pre-eminent for his skill, finish and command of his instrument, the violin, must stand Hugh McGibeny. His solo was one of the best heard for a long time and his imitations were almost perfect. Hugh is a star performer. Master Dockie, hardly taller than his clarionet, gave a fine solo upon that instrument and merited the hearty reception he received. Master Jamie, as director of the orchestra, evinced a clear understanding of the music and his efforts to secure expression were pleasing to witness. Master Leo, the midget, although hardly able to toddle about the stage, sang sweetly and with such expression as to be clearly heard and appreciated. The whole performance is novel and enjoyable, sure to find favor with everyone who has an ear for music or a heart for children.

Our Own Folks and Other Folks.

Mr. Harry W. Plummer is on a business trip to Boston.

Dr. Melvin Preble left on last night's train for a visit to Boston.

W. S. Heller, Esq., returned home yesterday from a trip to Boston.

J. B. Mayo, Esq., of Foxcroft, was in the city yesterday, at the Bangor House.

Mr. J. Norman Towle has returned from a business trip to the western part of the State.

Mr. W. W. Colby, travelling auditor of the Maine Central, was in the city yesterday on business.

Mr. George W. Oakman, of Boston, is stopping at the Bangor House. He will remain about six weeks.

Mr. Charles E. McPherson, district passenger agent of the Canadian Pacific Railroad, was in the city yesterday.

Mr. George A. Manning, formerly of Old Town, has recently been elected District Attorney at Rathburn, D. T.

Mr. W. H. Sargent, of the Boston School of Technology, is at his home in Brewer Village for a short vacation.

Mr. Harry N. Paine, wife and child, who have been at the Bangor House for some time, leave to-day for Eastport.

Charles S. Pennell, Esq., of Brunswick, was in the city yesterday on business, stopping at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Dr. Baxter.

Mrs. E. H. Bradbury, of St. Louis, is on her way home to this city on account of the sickness and death of her father, Ebenezer Trask, Esq.

The many friends of Miss Mary Snow will be pleased to learn that she has so far recovered from her recent attack of illness as to be able to be out yesterday.

Mr. Frank A. Garnsey, purser of the steamer Katahdin, is passing a short vacation at his home in this city. Mr. A. H. Hanscome is taking his place while absent.

Municipal Court.

Tuesday, January 22d.

Patrick Canning, for drunkenness, $3 and costs.

The hearing before the Legislative Committee on Railroads and Telegraphs on the bill to ratify the lease of the Bangor and Katahdin Iron Works Railway to the Bangor and Piscataquis, which was to have been held to-day, has been postponed until Wednesday next, 30th instant, by agreement of both parties, at the request of Hon. C. B. Baker who is counsel for the [illegible]

LOCAL MATTERS.

There will be a meeting of the Boy's Union this afternoon at 2.30 in the Y. M. C. A. A full attendance is desired.

Hon. S. N. Campbell, of Cherryfield, left Monday morning for Washington, taking the electoral returns from Maine.

The extensive water power at the mouth of the Piscataquis river has been bonded by the Piscataquis Falls Pulp and Paper Company.

Senator Frye has presented Hon. Henry Lord, President of the Maine Senate, with a morocco bound copy of the rules of the United States Senate.

The big candy cane in the window of Burrill's fruit store, 61 Hammond street, will be given away next Friday evening to the one holding the lucky ticket.

The clergymen of Bangor have been presented with complimentary tickets to the McGibeny Family performance, through the courtesy of the managers.

The extensive use that is made of mileage tickets in railroad travel is well shown from the fact that nearly one-third of the Maine Central passengers use them.

Regular business meeting of the [illegible] this afternoon at half-past two; prayer meeting, to which all are invited, at four; held in the reading room, Franklin street.

The enterprising *Kennebec Journal* of yesterday morning contains portraits and biographical sketches of the members of Governor Burleigh's staff. Among them are those of Dr. D. A. Robinson and Col. R. D. Pullen, of this city.

Mrs. Timothy Crowley, on Thomas lane, who was scalded a week ago Monday by slipping on some ice while carrying a tub of hot water, died from her injuries this morning soon after midnight. She was forty-eight years old.

The citizens of Ellsworth are alive to the necessity of establishing local manufactories in that city. A Business Men's Association has been organized and an agent sent to Massachusetts to induce capitalists to start manufactories there.

The middle class in German will meet to-day at 3 p. m. at the Y. M. C. A. rooms for instruction, and the advanced class at Miss May Ayer's, No. 102 Grove street, when Prof. Braun will commence his lectures on German literature. All are expected to be present.

On Saturday and Sunday, February 2d and 3d, Staff Capt. Watkins, the Welsh Songstress, will sing and speak at the Salvation Army barracks. She is from New York headquarters and is travelling in behalf of the Salvation Army Men's Training Home of that city.

Some of our business men had the roofs of their blocks cleared of snow yesterday, so that there should be no snow slides when a warm day comes. This example should be followed by all from whose roofs the harmful snow slide is liable to fall upon the heads of passers by.

Dr. S. B. Morison received quite a painful fall Monday in front of his residence but no serious consequences will follow. He slipped upon some ice concealed by the snow and fell, starting one of his ribs. He is confined to the house at present, but will probably be out again soon.

The senior class of the High School will give an entertainment in a few weeks, probably in City Hall, and the necessary arrangements for the event will soon be begun. The kind of entertainment has not yet been settled upon, but it is probable that a play will be the feature.

Sleighs were out in force yesterday after an enforced retirement of several weeks, and many enjoyed a ride, notwithstanding the cold weather. It was a clear and beautiful winter's day and with plenty of wraps riding was pleasant, while it was excellent weather for brisk pedestrianism.

A large number of the inhabitants of Maine towns are demanding a law to prevent the manufacture and sale of adulterated food and drink. One single batch of twelve petitions for the enactment of such a law has been presented in the Senate and additional petitions of the same tenor are said to be forthcoming.

The travelling over the country roads is very fair after the snow storm, but there are many places where the bare ground shows, the snow having been blown by the wind. There are some drifts but they are not deep. It is very good sleighing in the city, and a sleigh slips along very easily, although the snow is rather loose yet. It will improve as it becomes hardened.

Sleds, toboggans and snow shovels will now have their innings, after being deposited in the out of the way corners so far this winter. They will now shine resplendent in the most prominent place in the stores and put the festive skate in the shade. There was a good demand for snow shovels yesterday and many of our citizens broke down good constitutions and strained hitherto unimpaired tempers in a struggle with the beautiful snow.

Mr. George P. Allen, representing the Excelsior Electric Lighting Company, of New York, and Mr. J. George Fielbon, representing the Western Company of the same place, arrived in the city yesterday to make the bids for their companies for putting in the contemplated electric light plant in this city. They have been preceded by several others, so that there will be a number of bids for the work. The bids will close to-day, and will be opened by the committee.

The large residence in Brewer opposite High Head, occupied by Mr. Weeks, and owned by Mr. William Robinson, who lives a short distance away, was burned to the ground yesterday afternoon. As soon as the fire was discovered an alarm was sounded and the fire department was promptly on the scene. The flames were under such headway, however, and spread so rapidly that the efforts to save the house were unavailing and it was destroyed with most of its contents.

Saturday last General Harrison and wife made a flying visit to an old friend, Hon. W. R. McKeen, at Terre Haute, Indiana. The party drove out two miles to "Edgewood" farm, owned by Mr. McKeen, where they dined with Mr. William H. Boyce, who has charge of the farm. Mr. Boyce is a former Bangor boy and served in the army as captain in the 15th Maine. He is a son of Capt. Michael Boyce, of this city, who was also captain in the 15th Maine, and his many friends here will be pleased to learn that he is so pleasantly located.

Our Castine correspondent writes: Schooner Princess, Capt. Davis, sailed on Friday for Boston with bricks and dry fish.——The Starlight Temple (Juvenile Temple) gave an entertainment at the Town Hall, Saturday, Jan. 19th, before a crowded house. The children took their parts remarkably well. Great credit is due to Mrs. Harvey, who trained the children.——W. H. Witherle went to Boston Monday.——Mr. Charles U. Hyde left for New York the 21st.——The U. S. cutter Dallas was in the harbor Sunday, the [illegible]

Mr. A. W. Benson sent off another California excursion party yesterday morning. There were fourteen persons in the party, all bound for different points in California. The next party will leave on February 5th.

Mr. Frank Small, whose home is in Old Town, while at work on Friday in the woods above Moosehead Lake for Mr. Gilbert Davis, the well known lumberman, broke his arm quite badly. The arm was bandaged by his companions and he was taken in a team to Greenville where he was obliged to wait over Sunday before going to his home. The broken bone was set in Greenville. It had been bandaged so well after the accident happened that the young man felt but little pain and it was easily set. He will not be able to work again for a number of weeks.

COLBY UNIVERSITY NOTES. Our Colby correspondent writes: Henry Fletcher, '88, will fill the vacancy at Hebron Academy caused by the resignation of G. P. Phenix.——The College Athletic Association will give an exhibition at City Hall Feb. 6th.——The Junior prize debate will take place in the chapel Friday evening, Feb. 1st.——Considerable interest is already manifested over the coming base ball season. Manager Putnam has made arrangements with M. J. Madden of the Bostons of last season to coach Parsons and Wagg during the winter vacation. Madden will come to Waterville, February 18th.

Mr. W. D. Wing and wife, of Wingleton, Mich., who left this city Saturday after a visit, as announced, are on their way to Washington. Mr. Wing is senior member of the large lumber manufacturing firm at Wingleton, which is named for his family. He also has a large lumber establishment at Valparaiso, Chili, South America, and a box factory about a hundred miles down the coast on Conception River. Mr. Wing looked over Hutchins' box factory in Auburn during his stay there. His family reside in this city. On his return from Washington he will start for Valparaiso, which will make the twenty-fourth time he has been over the distance, going and coming.

THE ICE CROP. Most of the ice companies on the river were scraping their fields yesterday preparatory to cutting in a short time. It will cost but little to do the scraping at the present time, and there is an excellent quality of ice below the snow, nine inches or more in thickness. Cutting will probably begin about the first of next month, and it is intended to house a large crop. The Bangor Ice Company had a crew scraping off the snow from the field on Kenduskeag stream, and will soon begin cutting. Triggs & Co., who have been cutting for some time in the stream, have about completed. The Orrington Ice Company has sold 5,000 tons of the last year's crop. The prospects at the present time are excellent for a crop of thick ice of a good quality.

INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS. Our Kenduskeag correspondent writes: The following named officers were publicly installed on Wednesday evening last by Past Master Ora M. Harvey, assisted by John P. Dolliver, as Marshal, of Kenduskeag Lodge, F. and A. M.: Albert Hodsdon, Master; George Carter, S. W.; John H. Tuttle, J. W.; W. C. Spratt, Secretary; F. Harvey, Treasurer; Wilbur A. Shaw, S. D.; E. A. Pierce, J. D.; F. W. Perkins, S. S.; Wallace W. Patterson, J. S.; Rev. John J. Backe, Chaplain; M. L. Fisher, Marshal. An oyster supper was served after the installation to a large crowd and those that were that way inclined retired to the hotel hall, where they tripped the light fantastic toe to the number of about forty couples. All pronounced it a success. When the rain descended there was a very sudden breaking up of the above happy gathering.

THE BICYCLE LOCOMOTIVE. In the yard of the Portland Company, Portland, workmen are putting up the overhead track and in other respects getting ready for the first trial of the Hon. E. Moody Boynton's new bicycle engine. The railway will be only about 300 feet in length, and is merely for the purpose of trying some of the working parts of the machinery. The engine itself is not quite finished, but work is very rapidly progressing, and as the strange looking affair nears completion, those who have given it the most study are the least inclined to sneer at it. The making of even the slight trial for which preparations are now being made, will be rather costly, as the engine will again have to be taken down and replaced in the shop. When the engine is completed it is understood that the final and testing trial will be made at Old Orchard, where a track will be built for the accommodation of Mr. Boynton's train. On this trial the inventor hopes to make a speed of 200 miles an hour.

WINN ITEMS. Our Winn correspondent writes: A heavy and drifting snow storm prevailed on Monday. The roads were quite bad and a large portion of the snow was blown off of them. The travelling has been much improved, however, by the snow.——The teams that came to Winn on the 17th were from Houlton and vicinity and went to Medway, they having been telegraphed for, to haul bark. My informant was wrong who said that teams had been discharged at Medway and that a suspension of work at Winn was expected on account of the scarcity of bark.——I. R. Joy, our Representative, returned to Winn on Friday night, and was in town on Monday.——Charles King, a Frenchman, found a bear and three cubs in a den under an upturned tree on the land of J. W. Burke, in Winn, on Monday. King is lame in one hand but he captured all of them, having a gun with him, and he has them all at his place in Winn Village. The mother weighs about two hundred pounds and the cubs about fifty pounds each. It was a good day's work, with a good bear skin and meat.

HOLDEN ITEMS. Our Holden correspondent writes: Ever since the new year came in there has been an unusual religious interest in our community. Special meetings were held before and during the week of prayer and the interest seeming to warrant it meetings were held during the last week, the pastor being assisted by Revs. Merrill, of Brewer, and Hudson, of the Seminary. Sunday evening Secretary Jordan of the Y. M. C. A., conducted the service and two young persons responded to the gospel invitations. There will be but one other meeting this week. The one Tuesday evening was under the auspices of the Y. P. S. C. E. and that on Friday evening will be at 7 o'clock (local). Revs. Lewis and Merrill, of Brewer, are expected to be present. The church is greatly quickened and encouraged. There have been several conversions among the young people and others are seriously thinking of this important matter.——Mrs. Chaplin, the pastor's wife, who has been quite sick, is able to be about, but is not very strong yet and will have to be very careful for some time.——A little daughter became a member of Mr. Albert Pomroy's family a few days ago. All are well and rejoicing.——The snow [illegible]

WILL AID THE LUMBERMEN. The snow that fell on Monday will be a great help to the lumbermen in many sections of the State, where there has been bare ground for a number of weeks, and the hauling will now be resumed in a lively manner. One lumberman yarded his season's cut of logs over a week ago, and since then has been waiting with his men in idleness, for some snow so that he could do his hauling. Just about enough snow fell for good hauling and this fact will be much appreciated by the lumbermen. The lack of snow has been a serious drawback this winter to many, and threatened to make a very poor year's business, but the appearance of the snow Monday put a better aspect on the lumbering affairs, and the lumbermen feel now as if they would be able to do something after all. It is expected that there will be a large amount of timber cut during the season, and good sized crews are now at work.

KINGMAN ITEMS. Our correspondent writes: Mr. J. T. Merrill, of Topsfield, is teaching a singing school in town. This is an institution that has long been wanted and it is hoped many of the young folks will take advantage of this opportunity of obtaining instruction in this important subject.——About ten inches or more of snow fell here last Monday, so that there is now an abundance of that element for all kinds of business once more.——The Kingman Dramatic Club intend playing the drama entitled "Bread on the Water" at Springfield next Friday evening. They are to have a dancing party after the entertainment and a good time is expected.——The rum traffic is quite well suppressed in this place at present and the proper officials are endeavoring to enforce the law in such a manner as to give us some reason to believe that the happy change will be permanent. The temperance lodge also appears to be exercising a goodly influence in the work of reform.

ELECTRIC CARS RUNNING. The following from the Boston *Journal* of Monday concerning the running of the new electric street cars in that city, will be of interest to our people who will see a similar line running here next spring: "The two lines of West End Railway electric cars running from Park Square to Brookline and Oak Square to Brighton respectively, carried large numbers of passengers yesterday. There was quite a crowd of people gathered on the corner of Boylston and Church streets, and in Park Square during the greater part of the afternoon to watch the arrival and departure of the cars, which now run every fifteen minutes. Many took a ride in the cars for the first time yesterday, and until the novelty wears off heavy freights will be the rule. Unlike the experience of last Sunday afternoon when there was a delay of several hours, caused by a slight accident, everything went smoothly, and the cars were able to run on time all day. Up to six o'clock the average freight carried was some seventy passengers to a car and in many cases people had to wait for three or four cars to pass before they could even get on board."

OBITUARY.

Ebenezer Trask, Esq.

As briefly announced in Tuesday's Whig another of our old and most highly esteemed citizens, Ebenezer Trask, Esq., passed away from earth at an early hour yesterday morning. Mr. Trask was born in Gloucester, Mass., July 14, 1810, making him seventy-eight years, six months and eight days old. He was educated in the town schools and at Phillips-Exeter Academy, and afterwards taught school in his native town. He moved to Hampden in 1835, where he went into trade with his brother-in-law, the late Eben Poole, was a member of the House of Representatives of Maine from the Hampden district, in 1840, was cashier of the Commercial Bank of Bangor, in its closing years, but in 1839, still residing in Hampden. He moved to Bangor in 1841 and was bookkeeper for the late firm of Fiske & Norcross and was afterward in the lumber business, under the name of Norcross & Trask. He was a member of the Common Council in 1849-50 and 1850-51, the latter year serving as President of the Board; was a member of the Board of Aldermen in 1851-52 and in 1853-55, and served for several years on the School Committee.

When the Traders' Bank was incorporated he was elected Cashier, which position he held without interruption until it closed out its business, a period of more than a quarter of a century, discharging the duties with great fidelity and profit to the Bank.

He was a life-long active member of the Baptist Church, for more than fifty years Moderator of the First Baptist Society, and was Clerk of the Penobscot Baptist Association at each session for forty-eight years.

Since the winding up of the affairs of the Traders' Bank his failing health prevented him from going about much and the last few years have been passed peacefully at his home with a loving family.

He was married in 1833 in his native town to Miss A. Della Poole, who survives him.

They had six children. The eldest died in Hampden, the second died in this city, a daughter died in Washington, D. C., and the last one to pass away, was Mrs. Elbridge C. Hincks, in 1887, leaving three orphan boys to the care of their grandparents, who lovingly accepted the charge with the most endearing attentions and now the care falls on the aged grandmother. Two children survive their father, Mr. Eben W. Trask, of Atkinson and Mrs. E. H. Bradbury, of St. Louis, on whom, with their mother, the blow falls heavily, and who will find many sympathizing friends. A good citizen, a kind friend, a loving and affectionate husband and father, he was a man of whom it could be truly said: "None knew him but to love him, none named him but to praise." Notice of the time of the funeral will be given hereafter.

New Advertisements.

M. M. Levy, at the Bangor Clothing Store, in Kenduskeag Block, will to-day give a ticket to Dockstader's Minstrel performance this evening to every purchaser of men's or boys' pants or suits. Remember it is to-day only.

S. B. Sweetser, agent of the U. S. Compound Oxygen Co., this morning publishes some local, as well as other references, to the benefits derived from the use of that curative agent. Office No. 21 Main street.

Regular session of Norombega Lodge, K. of P., this evening.

See notice of meeting of Legislative Committee on Financial Affairs to provide for a State valuation.

Joseph F. Snow announces this morning marked down prices on prints, cottons, quilts, damasks, flannels, etc.

Contagious Diseases.

Cases of the contagious diseases were reported to the State Board during the week ending Saturday, January 19th, as follows:

Diphtheria—Augusta, 1; Gardiner, 3; Houlton, 1; Hurricane Isle, 1; Portland, 1; [illegible], 1.

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Last May a large carbuncle broke out on my arm. The usual remedies had no effect and I was confined to my bed for eight weeks. A friend induced me to try Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Less than three bottles healed the sore. In all my experience with medicine, I never saw more

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"I had a dry scaly humor for years, and suffered terribly; and, as my brother and sister were similarly afflicted, I presume the malady is hereditary. Last winter, Dr. Tyron, (of Fernandina, Fla.,) recommended me to take Ayer's Sarsaparilla, and continue it for a year. For five months I took it daily. I have not had a blemish upon my body for the last three months."—T. E. Wiley, 146 Chambers st., New York City.

"Last fall and winter I was troubled with a dull, heavy pain in my side. I did not notice it much at first, but it gradually grew worse until it became almost unbearable. During the latter part of this time, disorders of the stomach and liver increased my troubles. I began taking Ayer's Sarsaparilla, and, after faithfully continuing the use of this medicine for some months, the pain disappeared, and I was completely cured."—Mrs. Augusta A. Furbush, Haverhill, Mass.

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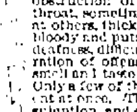

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Harriet N. Smith, of Malden, State of Massachusetts, and Sylvia H. Hill, of Bangor, in Penobscot County, having filed a petition praying that Benning C. Adams, of said Bangor, may be appointed a trustee under the will of Jacob C. Smith, late of said Bangor, deceased, Ordered, That notice thereof be given to all persons interested therein, by publishing a copy of this order three weeks successively in the Bangor Daily Whig and Courier, a newspaper published at Bangor, in said County, prior to the last Tuesday of January, A. D. 1889, that they may appear at a Probate Court, then to be held at said Bangor, within and for said County, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, and show cause, if any they have, against the same.

JAMES H. BURGESS, Judge of Probate.

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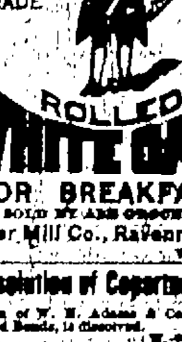

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MISS BRETHERTON

By MRS. HUMPHREY WARD,

AUTHOR OF "ROBERT ELSMERE."

[CONTINUED.]

"No whispering there," said Forbes, looking round upon them. "Oh, I know what you're after, Edward, perfectly. I hear it all with one ear."

"That," said Wallace, moving up to him, "is physically impossible. Don't be so pugnacious. We leave you the front of the box, and when we appear in your territory our mouths are closed. But in our own domain we claim the right of free men."

"Poor girl!" said Forbes, with a sigh. "How she manages to tame London as she does is a marvel to me. If she were a shade less perfect and wonderful than she is she would have been torn to pieces by you critics long ago. You have done your best as it is, only the public won't listen to you. Oh, don't suppose I don't see all that you see. The critical poison's in my veins just as it is in yours, but I hold it in check—it shan't master me. I will have my pleasure in spite of it and when I come across anything in life that makes me feel I will protect my feelings from it with all my might."

"We are dumb," said Kendal, "with a smile; "otherwise I would pedantically ask you to consider what are the feelings to which the dramatic art properly and legitimately appeals."

"Oh, hang your dramatic art!" said Forbes, firing up; "can't you take things simply and straightforwardly? She is there—she is doing her best for you—there isn't a movement or a look which isn't as glorious as that of a Diana come to earth, and you won't let it charm you and conquer you, because she isn't into the bargain as confoundedly clever as you are yourselves! Well, it's your loss, not hers."

"My dear Mr. Forbes," said Mrs. Stuart, with her little judicial peace making air, "we shall go away contented. You will have had your sensation, they will have had their sense of superiority, and as for me, I shall get the best of it all round. For, while you are here, I see Miss Bretherton with your eyes, and yet, as Edward will get hold of me on the way home, I shan't go to bed without having experienced all the joys of criticism! Oh! but now, hush, and listen to this music. It is one of the best things in the evening, and we shall have the White Lady directly."

As she spoke the orchestra, which was a good one, and perhaps the most satisfactory feature in the performance, broke into some weird Mendelssohnian music, and when the note of plaintiveness and mystery had been well established, the curtain rose upon the great armory of the castle, a dim, distinguishable light shining upon its fretted roof and masses of faintly gleaming steel. The scene which followed, in which the Countess Hilda, disguised as the traditional phantom of the Hohenzollerns, whose appearance bodes misfortune and death to those who behold it, throws herself across the path of her rival in the hope of driving her and those interested in her by sheer force of terror from the castle and from Berlin, had been poetically conceived, and it furnished Miss Bretherton with an admirable opportunity. As the White Lady, gliding between rows of armed and spectral figures on either hand, and startling the princess and her companion by her sudden apparition in a gleam of moonlight across the floor, she was once more the representative of all that is most poetical and romantic in physical beauty. Nay, more than this; as she flung her white arms above her head, or pointed to the shrinking and fainting figure of her rival while she uttered her wailing traditional prophecy of woe, her whole personality seemed to be invested with a dramatic force of which there had been no trace in the long and violent scene with the prince. It was as though she was in some sort capable of expressing herself in action and movement, while in all the arts of speech she was a mere crude novice. At any rate, there could be no doubt that in this one scene she realized the utmost limits of the author's ideal, and when she faded into the darkness beyond the moonlight in which she had first appeared, the house, which had been breathlessly silent during the progress of the apparition, burst into a roar of applause, in which Wallace and Kendal heartily joined.

"Exquisite!" said Kendal.

"Exquisite!" said Kendal in Mrs. Stuart's ear, as he stood behind her chair. "She was romance itself! Her acting should always be a kind of glorified and poetical pantomime; she would be inimitable so."

Mrs. Stuart looked up and smiled agreement.

"Yes, that scene lives with one. If everything else in the play is poor, she is worth seeing for that alone. Remember it."

The little warning was in season, for the poor White Lady had but too many after opportunities of blurring the impression she had made. In the great situation at the end of the second act, in which the countess has to give, in the presence of the court, a summary of the supposed story of the White Lady, her passion at once of love and hatred charges it with a force and meaning, which, for the first time, rouses the suspicions of the prince as to the reality of the supposed apparition. In the two or three fine and dramatic speeches which the situation involved, the actress showed the same absence of knowledge and resource as before, the same powerlessness to create a personality, the same lack of all those quicker and more delicate of perceptions which we include under the general term, "refinement," and which, in the practice of any art, are the outcome of long and complex processes of education. There, indeed, was the bald, plain fact—the whole explanation of her failure as an artist lay in her lack both of the lower and of the higher kinds of education. It was evident that her technical training had been of the roughest. In all technical respects, indeed, her acting had a self taught, provincial air, which showed you that she had natural cleverness, but that her models had been of the poorest type. And in all other respects, when it came to interpretation or creation, she was spoiled by her entire want of that inheritance from the past which is the foundation of all good work in the present. For an actress must have one of the two kinds of knowledge; she must have either the knowledge which comes from a fine training—in itself the outcome of a long tradition—or she must have the knowledge which comes from mere living, from the accumulations of personal thought and experience. Miss Bretherton had neither. She had extraordinary beauty and charm, and certainly, as Kendal admitted, some original quickness. He was not inclined to go so far as to call it "power." But this quickness, which would have been promising in a debutante less richly endowed on the physical side, seemed to him to have no future in her. "It will be checked," he said to himself, "by her beauty and all that flows from it. She must come to depend more and more on the physical charm, and on that only. The whole pressure of her success is and will be that way."

Miss Bretherton's inadequacy, indeed, became more and more visible as the play was gradually and finally worked up to its climax in the last act. In the final scene of all, the prince, who, by a series of accidents, has discovered the Countess Hilda's plans, has to wait for her in the armory, where he has reason to know she means to try the effect of a third and last apparition upon the princess. She appears; he suddenly confronts her, and, dragging her forward, unveils the hidden and the princess then claim her lips at his old love. Recognizing ... [illegible]

princess' terror and excitement change into eager pity. Then, when she sees him almost reconquered, and her rival weeping beside her, she takes the poison vial from her breast, drinks it, and dies in the arms of the man for whose sake she has sacrificed beauty, character and life itself.

A great actress could hardly have wished for a better opportunity. The scene was so obviously beyond Miss Bretherton's resources that even the enthusiastic house, Kendal fancied, cooled down during the progress of it. There were signs of restlessness, there was even a little talking in some of the back rows, and at no time during the scene was there any of that breathless absorption in what was passing on the stage which the dramatic material itself amply deserved.

"I don't think this will last very long," said Kendal in Wallace's ear. "There is something tragic in a popularity like this; it rests on something unsound and one feels that disaster is not far off. The whole thing impresses me most painfully. She has some capacity, of course; if only the conditions had been different—if she had been born within a hundred miles of the Paris conservatoire, if her youth had been passed in a society of more intellectual weight—but, as it is, this very applause is ominous, for the beauty must go sooner or later, and there is nothing else."

"You remember Desforets in this same theatre last year in 'Adrienne Lecouvreur?'" said Wallace. "What a gulf between the right thing and the wrong! But come, we must do our duty," and he drew Kendal forward towards the front of the box, and they saw the whole house on its feet, clapping and shouting, and the curtain just being drawn back to let the White Lady and the Prince appear before it. She was very pale, but the storm of applause which greeted her seemed to revive her, and she swept her smiling glance round the theatre, until at last it rested with a special gleam of recognition on the party in the box, especially on Forbes, who was outdoing himself in enthusiasm. She was called forward again and again, until at last the house was content, and the general exit began.

The instant after her white dress had disappeared from the stage a little page boy knocked at the door of the box with a message that "Miss Bretherton begs that Mrs. Stuart and her friends will come and see her." Out they all trooped along a narrow passage and up a short staircase, until a rough temporary door was thrown open, and they found themselves in the wings, the great stage, on which the scenery was being hastily shifted, lying to their right. The lights were being put out; only a few gas jets were left burning, round a pillar, beside which stood Isabel Bretherton, her long phantom dress lying in white folds about her, her uncle and aunt and her manager standing near. Every detail of the picture—the spot of brilliant light hounded on all sides by dim, far reaching vistas of shadow, the figures hurrying across the back of the stage, the moving ghost-like workmen all around, and in the midst that white hooded, languid figure—revived in Kendal's memory whenever in after days his thoughts went wandering back to the first moment of real contact between his own personality and that of Isabel Bretherton.

CHAPTER IV.

A few days after the performance of the "White Lady," Kendal, in the course of his weekly letter to his sister, sent her a fairly detailed account of the evening, including the interview with her after the play, which had left two or three very marked impressions upon him. "I wish," he wrote, "I could only convey to you a sense of her personal charm such as might balance the impression of her artistic defects, which I suppose this account of mine cannot but leave on you. When I came away that night after our conversation with her, I had entirely forgotten her failure as an actress, and it is only later since I have thought over the evening in detail, that I have returned to my first standpoint of wonder at the easy toleration of the English public. When you are actually with her, talking to her, looking at her, Forbes' attitude is the only possible and reasonable one. What does art, or cultivation, or training matter! I found myself saying, as I walked home, in echo of him—so long as nature will only condescend once in a hundred years to produce for us a creature so perfect, so finely fashioned to all beautiful uses! Let other people go through the toil to acquire; their aim is truth; but here is beauty in its quintessence, and what is beauty but three parts of truth? Beauty is harmony with the universal order, a revelation of laws and perfections of which, in our common groping through a dull world, we find in general nothing to remind us. And, if so, what folly to ask of a human creature that it should be more than beautiful! It is a messenger from the gods, and we treat it as if it were any common traveler along the highway of life, and cross-examine it for its credentials instead of raising our altar and sacrificing to it with grateful hearts.

"That was my latest impression of Friday night. But, naturally, by Saturday morning I had returned to the rational point of view. The mind's morning climate is removed by many degrees from that of the evening; and the critical revolt, which the whole spectacle of the 'White Lady' had originally roused in me revived in all its force. I began, indeed, to feel as if I and humanity, with its long, laborious tradition, were on one side, holding our own against a young, and arrogant aggressor—namely, beauty, in the person of Miss Bretherton. How many men and women, I thought, have labored and struggled and died in the effort to reach a higher and higher perfection in one single art, and are they to be outdone, eclipsed in a moment by something which is a mere freak of nature; something which, like the lilies of the field, has neither toiled nor spun, and yet claims the special inheritance and reward of those who have!

It seemed to me as though my feeling in her presence of the night before, as if the sudden overthrow of the critical resistance in me, had been a kind of treachery to the human cause. Beauty has power enough, I found myself reflecting with some fierceness—let us withhold from her a sway and a prerogative which are not rightly hers; let us defend against her that store of human sympathy which is the proper reward, not of her facile and heaven born perfections, but of labor and intelligence of all that is complex and tenacious in the workings of the human spirit.

"And then, as my mood cooled still further, I began to recall many an evening at the Francaise with you, and one part after another, one actor after another, recurred to me, till, as I realized afresh what dramatic intelligence and dramatic training really are, I fell into an angry contempt for our lavish English enthusiasms. 'Poor girl!' it is not her fault if she believes herself to be a great actress. Brought up under misleading conditions, and without any but the most elementary education, how is she to know what the real thing means? She finds herself, the rage within a few weeks of her appearance in the greatest city in the world. Naturally she pays no heed to her critics—why would she?

"And she is indeed a most perplexing mixture. Do what I will, I cannot harmonize all my different impressions of her. Let me begin again. Why is it that her acting is so poor? I never saw a more dramatic personality. Everything that she says or does is said, or done with a warmth, a force, a vivacity that makes her smallest gesture and her lightest tone impress themselves upon you. I felt this very strongly two or three times after the play on Friday night—in her talk with Forbes, for instance, whom she has altogether in her toils, and whom she plays with as though he were the gray bearded Merlin and she an innocent Vivien weaving harmless spells about him. And then, from this mocking war of words and looks, this gay camaraderie, in which there was not a scrap of coquetry or self consciousness, she would pass into a sudden outburst of anger as to the impertinence of English rich people, the impertinence of rich millionaires who have tried once or twice to 'order' her, for their evening parties as they would order their fish; or the impertinence of the young 'swell about town' who thinks she has nothing to do behind the scenes but receive his visits and provide him with entertainment. And, as the quick, impetuous words came rushing out, you felt that here for once was a woman speaking her real mind to you, and that, with a flashing eye and curving lip, an laborn grace and energy which made every word memorable. If he would but look like that or speak like this on the stage! But there, of course, is the rub. The whole difficulty of art consists in losing your own personality, so to speak, and finding it again transformed, and it is a difficulty which Miss Bretherton has never even understood.

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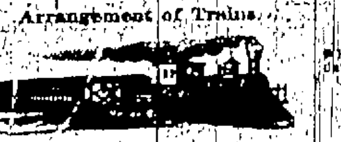
Railroads and Steamships.

Maine Central Railroad.

Arrangement of Trains.



IN EFFECT DEC. 30, 1888.

Until further notice trains leave Bangor as follows:

GOING EAST.

6.45 A. M.—For St. Stephen, Aroostook Co., St. John and all points East of Bangor in Maine and the Provinces, with Parlor car for St. John.

7.15 A. M.—For Oldtown and Greenville.

12.20 P. M.—For Oldtown and Milford, connecting at Oldtown with B. & P. Mixed.

4.35 P. M.—For Oldtown.

7.30 P. M.—Night express for St. Stephen, Woodstock, Aroostook County and St. John, with sleeping car for St. John attached.

GOING WEST.

5.15 A. M.—For Portland and Boston via both lines from Waterville, connecting with other Railroads at junction points, with Parlor Car via Augusta.

12.25 P.M.—For Augusta, Gardiner, Brunswick, Bath, Lewiston, Portland, and Boston, with through Parlor Car.

7.45 P.M.—(NIGHT TRAIN) for Portland and Boston via Augusta with Pullman sleeping cars.

11.35 P.M.—Mixed train for Waterville, connecting at Newport for Dexter, and Burnham for Belfast.

Night trains between Bangor and Boston run every night, Sundays included.

BUCKSPORT BRANCH.

7.30 A. M. and 5.00 P. M. Arrive in Bucksport at 8.45 A. M., 6.05 P. M.

Leave Bucksport at 6.40 A. M. and 1.30 P. M. Arrive in Bangor at 6.55 A. M., and 2.30 P. M.

MT. DESERT BRANCH.

Trains leave Bangor at 7.00 A. M., 8.10 A. M. freight, and 4.35 P. M. for Ellsworth and Bar Harbor.

Trains leave Bar Harbor (steamer) at 8.15 A.M., 10.30 A.M. (freight), 7.45 P. M.; Mt. Desert Ferry, 9.20 A.M., 1.00 P. M. (freight), 1.15 P. M.; Ellsworth, 9.25 A.M., 2.00 P.M. (freight), and 4.30 P. M. Arriving in Bangor at 11.20 A. M., 4.16 and 6.15 P.M.

ARRIVALS.

Through Trains from the East arrive at 6.30 A. M., 6.25 P. M. From B. & P. R. R., 11.45 A.M. and 6.20 P. M. From Oldtown, other than above, 8.55 A.M., and 2.30 P. M.

From the West—arrive at 5.40 A. M., 6.55 P. M.; from Portland and Way at 2.20 A.M.; Waterville, Mixed, 11.45 A.M. Sunday Paper train, 11.15 A.M.

NOTE.—Time of arrival and departure here given is that at Maine Central Depot; for Exchange Street a slight difference should be allowed.

Through Tickets to principal points East and West by all routes are on sale at the M. C. Ticket Office. For Pullman, Berths or Information call on or telephone A. W. Benson, Ticket Agent.

PAYSON TUCKER, Vice President and General Manager.

F. E. BOOTHBY, General Passenger and Ticket Agent.

Dec. 24, 1888. d&w

New Brunswick Ry. Co.

Passenger Train Service:

In Effect Jan. 7th, 1889.

WESTWARD.

Leave St. John	8.40 A.M.	[illegible]
Fredericton	5.45	[illegible]
St. Stephen	9.55	[illegible]
St. Andrews	9.20	[illegible]
Edmundston	[illegible]	11.00
Grand Falls	[illegible]	2.30
Presque Isle	6.30	[illegible]
Caribou	7.00	3.40
Fort Fairfield	7.30	4.20
Woodstock	10.20	8.45
Houlton	10.15	[illegible]
Arrive Vanceboro	12.40	1.00 A.M.
Bangor	6.25	6.30
Portland	11.40	[illegible]
Boston	3.20	[illegible]

EASTWARD.

Leave Boston	9.00 A.M.	7.00 P.M.
Portland	1.20 P.M.	11.00
Bangor	7.30	6.45 A.M.
Vanceboro	1.15 A.M.	11.55
Arrive Houlton	4.05	3.40
Woodstock	4.05	3.50
Fort Fairfield	9.45	5.35
Caribou	10.20	5.54
Presque Isle	11.00	5.40
Grand Falls	[illegible]	6.00
Edmundston	[illegible]	5.35 A.M.
St. Andrews	[illegible]	3.10 P.M.
St. Stephen	4.00 A.M.	3.10 P.M.
Fredericton	11.35	5.45
St. John	12.45	4.00

PULLMAN PARLOR AND SLEEPING CARS.

WESTWARD.

8.40 A. M. Parlor Car St. John to Bangor, connecting with sleeping car Bangor to Boston.

7.00 P. M. Sleeping Car St. John to Bangor, connecting with Parlor car Bangor to Boston.

EASTWARD.

9.00 A. M. Parlor Car Boston to Bangor, connecting with Sleeping Car Bangor to St. John.

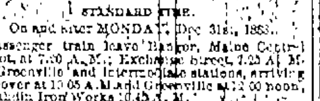
7.00 P. M. Sleeping Car Boston to Bangor, DAILY, and Parlor Car Bangor to St. John daily, except Saturday.

Trains marked † run daily except Saturday; ‡ daily except Sunday; * runs Sunday morning and not on Monday; † runs daily, § arrives Monday morning and not Sunday morning. All others daily except Sunday.

Eastern Standard Time.

F. W. CRAM, Gen'l Manager.

A. J. HEATH, Gen'l Passenger Agent. St. John, N. B. jan7



Bangor & Piscataquis Railroad.

ARRANGEMENT OF TRAINS.

STANDARD TIME.

On and after MONDAY, Dec. 31st, 1888.

Passenger train leave Bangor, Maine Central Depot, at 7.00 A.M.; Exchange Street, 7.05 A. M. for Greenville and intermediate stations, arriving in Dover at 10.05 A.M. and Greenville at 12.00 noon, Katahdin Iron Works 10.45 A. M.

Passenger train leaves Greenville at 1.35 P. M., Dover at 3.25 P. M., Katahdin Iron Works, 2.10 P. M., arriving in Bangor, Exchange street, at 6.00 P. M., connecting with Maine Central Railroad for Portland and Boston.

A Mixed Train leaves Bangor, Exchange Street at 12.30 P. M., arriving in Dover and Foxcroft at 5.10 P.M. and Greenville at 6.00 P. M.; Katahdin Iron Works, 6.00 P. M.

A Mixed Train leaves Greenville at 3.30 A. M. and Dover and Foxcroft at 6.30 A. M., Katahdin Iron Works, 5.30 A. M., arriving in Bangor, Exchange Street, at 11.35 A. M.

Railway connection at Monson Junction with the Monson Railroad.

STAGE CONNECTIONS.

At South Sebec, daily, for Sebec Village and Barnard.

At Abbot Village, daily, for Willimantic.

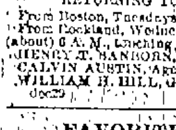
At Guilford, daily, for Parkman.

ARTHUR BROWN, Supt.

Dec. 31st, 1888.

Boston & Bangor S. S. Co

Winter Service.



Commencing Monday, December 31st, 1888, steamers will leave Bucksport, weather permitting, for Belfast, Camden, Rockland and Boston, Mondays and Thursdays at 11 A. M.

RETURNING TO BUCKSPORT.

From Boston, Tuesdays and Fridays at 4 P.M.

From Rockland, Wednesdays and Saturdays, at (about) 6 A. M., touching at all river landings.

HENRY T. SANBORN, Agent, Bangor.

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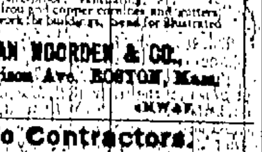

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Bangor Post Office.

OFFICERS.

FRED A. CUMMINGS ... Postmaster.
GEO. HOGAN ... Assistant.
FRANK INGALLS ... [illegible]

OFFICE HOURS,

Standard Time.

From 7 A. M. to 8 P. M.; and from [illegible] daily—Sundays excepted.

On Sundays, from 9 to [illegible]

Arrival and Departure of Mails.

MAILS CLOSE.

Western ... European Railway ... Piscataquis Railroad ... Bar Harbor ... Bucksport ... Dixmont ... East Corinth and Charleston ... Levant and Exeter ... Bradford ... Monroe ... Amherst and Aurora ...

Night train to Boston runs every night. Mail closes Sunday at 6.00 p.m. Collection from street boxes same as on week days.

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All letters are delivered free by carriers, addressed to street and number. Those who inform their correspondents of the street and number insure the more prompt delivery of their letters. Persons leaving their names at the General Delivery can also have their letters delivered much more conveniently ... [illegible] ... Collections are made ... in season for important mails.

Carrier's Window open from 7 to ... days excepted.

Holidays the Carrier's Window will be open ... the delivery of letters from 9 to ... 7 to 8 P. M., Sundays from 9 to 9 A. M.

Any irregularities in the Carrier's delivery should be reported to the office.

IMMEDIATE DELIVERY.

Messenger boys are constantly in attendance to deliver letters with immediate delivery stamp on arrival of all mails, and for local letters from 7 A. M. to 10 P. M., at which hour the mails are closed. Persons depositing city letters will please deposit them into the general delivery.

Letters arriving from ... delivered on arrival.

ENVELOPES.

No additional charge will be made for printing the name and request of return, on the upper left hand corner of the envelope ... furnished by the Post Office Department ... may be seen at the Cashier's ... cd in lots of not less than 500.

A request for the return of a letter to the writer, if unclaimed within thirty days or less, ... printed, with the writer's name ... State, across the left end of the envelope ... face side, will be complied with.

The public are earnestly recommended to procure Stamped envelopes with a return request, as the expense is less, and letters so endorsed, if not delivered to the person addressed, are returned to the writer free of charge.

First class envelopes of above ... and $22.00 per thousand.

Stamps cut from Stamped Envelopes cannot be used to prepay postage. They must be presented in punishment by a fine ... Stamped Envelopes spoiled in ... redeemed at this office ...

DOMESTIC POSTAGE.

FIRST CLASS.

All Letters must be Prepaid—Two cents to all Mails in the United States, two cents an ounce or single rate. Also ... on letters for delivery ... part of ... first class rates. City letters, two cents an ounce or single rate.

SECOND CLASS.

Newspapers.—All regular newspapers and periodicals issued from a known office of publication ... rate of one cent a pound or fraction thereof.

County papers, one copy to a subscriber, free except to letter carrier offices. Newspapers mailed to the office, if published in county ... postage ... Daily papers published in ... carrier, ... rate ... chandise limited ...

THIRD CLASS.

Postage One Cent for Two Ounces. Newspapers and Periodicals, which ... everything of second class, when sent ... matter.

Postage One Cent for Two Ounces. Books (printed), Circulars, photographs ... or matter wholly in print, proof sheets and manuscript copy ... of one cent for each two ounces or fraction thereof.

FOURTH CLASS.

Postage One Cent for each Ounce. Blank cards, card board and other flexible material, flexible patterns, letter envelopes ... paper, merchandise, models, ornaments, seeds, samples, cuttings, roots, bulbs, scions, minerals, ... and other matter ... playing cards, ... ad ... trade, ... anything upon which ... is printed ... other article ... in form or nature liable to destroy, deface or otherwise damage the contents of the mail bag ...

Upon matter of the third or fourth class the sender may write his own name and address ... "from," without extra charge for postage.

Third and fourth class matter may be registered same as first class, on payment of the registry fee of 10 cents.

ADVERTISED LETTERS.

All letters remaining in the office are advertised on Monday of each week. If not claimed within two weeks thereafter they are then forwarded to the Dead Letter Office.

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States, and nearly all prominent countries.

Never put Money in a Letter—Always procure a Money Order.

If money is to be remitted to a Point where a Money Order could not be obtained, it, upon being ... the Money Order Office, then the money ... registered. Money should never be enclosed ... ordinary letter.

Office Hours—From 8 A. M. to 6 P. M.

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All valuable letters should be Registered. The Money Order is obtainable ... the system of Registration, letters are transmitted with perfect safety.

Letters may be Registered by paying postage in full and a Registration fee in stamps, for the United States, ... Great Britain and Ireland, ... countries having a postal treaty with the United States.

Office Hours—From 7 A. M. to 8 P. M. Sundays, ... which closes at 5 P. M.

FOREIGN POSTAGE.

Africa, west coast, Br. Possessions ... Argentine Republic, British Mail ... Aspinwall ... Australia, British mail ... Australia, via San Francisco ... Bahamas ... [illegible] ... Great Britain and Ireland ... [illegible] ... Kingdom, direct mail ... direct mail ... New Providence ... New Brunswick ... Newfoundland ... New South Wales ... New Zealand ... Nova Scotia ... Panama ... Peru ... Porto Rico ... Portugal ... Queensland ... Russia ... Spain ... Straits Settlements ... Sweden ... Switzerland ... Trinidad ... Turkey ... Turks Island ... Venezuela ... Victoria ... West Indies, British ...

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